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CRUSHED.

Dispatcher Sims' Sad Error.

Two Trains Meet in a Tunnel.

The Los Angeles Express Badly Wrecked.

Engineer Hubbard and Fireman Schramm Both Killed.

A Tramp Also Met His Death On the Big Smash-up.

The collision which took place between the Los Angeles express No. 20, bound for this city, and a work-train, eastward bound, in Altamont tunnel, fifty-six miles from this city, last night about 7 o'clock, resulted in the death of three men, while several others sustained painful but not serious injuries.

The killed are Harry Hubbard, engineer of the express, residing at 1775 Lincoln street; Henry Schramm, fireman of the express, who resided at 861 Campbell street; and a tramp.

Some say that the man killed is J. P. Cooper of "Postal Card" fame.

The most seriously injured, so far as known, is C. V. Thompson, fireman of the engine of the working train, who sustained a broken shoulder, a bruised arm and several cuts about the face and body.

The engineer of the work train was William Manrow, who was badly shaken up, but escaped injury.

The Wells-Fargo Express messenger was George R. Openshaw of Alameda, and the mail clerk was F. P. Howland, who was assisted by a "sub," whose name is unknown. These escaped injury.

The express consisted of eight cars and contained the average number of passengers. None of these, however, were hurt. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the meeting trains were running slowly at the time, otherwise the loss of life would have been enormous.

Notwithstanding that the people on board both trains had an almost miraculous escape. This is the first collision on the Western Division of the Southern Pacific in which as many as two human beings lost their lives.

SIMS' FATAL MISTAKE.

The accident was apparently the result of carelessness of the train dispatcher at the broad gauge mole, C. R. Sims. Through lapse of memory or inattention Sims issued the orders which gave the right of way to the two trains, both of which were traveling along the same track in opposite directions.

After the orders had been transmitted the mistake was discovered. There was no intervening station on the pathway of either train, however, to which a dispatch countermanding the order, and possibly intercepting one or both of the trains, could have been transmitted. As a consequence the trains with their wealth of human life and property pushed forward, their engineers innocent of impending danger, until the locomotives came into a deathly embrace in the tunnel about 300 feet from the eastern entrance thereto.

EFFECT OF THE MEETING.

The crash was terrific. The engines were shattered into a mass of iron which almost reached to the roof of the tunnel. Then there was the sound of escaping steam, and the cries of the surprised passengers and train men and the screams of the injured.

Schramm was killed in an instant. Hubbard was caught between the engine and the tender. He was crushed in a horrible manner, but was so tightly wedged in that it was impossible to extricate him. He begged the bystanders, who managed to get into the tunnel as soon as the steam had been blown off, to kill him, but there was no person in the crowd, who had the heart to comply with the request. The poor fellow lingered until midnight, when death came to his relief.

The other members of the train crews set about looking after the comfort of the passengers and those who had sustained minor injuries. One of them secured a horse and as fast as he could galloped to Livermore for the purpose of notifying Division Superintendent Wilder of the accident and calling for assistance. Altamont station is about four miles distant from the scene of the accident, but satisfactory communication could not be established through the office at that place.

The news was flashed into the division superintendent's office at the mole about 8 o'clock, but it was not news then. The men at headquarters knew what would be the result of the clashing orders and awaited the result.

Among those who awaited the dread tidings was Train Dispatcher Sims, who lived an age during the moments of suspense.

He was unable to work and went to his lodging place at the corner of Ninth and Washington streets before he heard of the fatal result of the collision.

Even before the sad news arrived preparations were made for an emergency, and when the fact of the accident had been clearly established, Division Superintendent Wilder bent every energy in hurrying forward assistance of all kinds.

A special was sent out from Tracy and the passengers of the express were brought back to that place about midnight.

Dr. Woolsey was immediately notified of the accident and in a few moments Dr. J. L. Dunn answered the summons at the mole. He was attended by a couple of other experienced surgeons prepared for the worst.

THE RELIEF TRAINS.

Meanwhile everything was activity in the railroad yards. The wrecking train was got in readiness, the wrecking crew and a large force of men were summoned from their homes and at a few minutes before 10 o'clock the train pulled out of the yards for the scene of the wreck in charge of Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson. It made the run quickly, and before the men had been long at work, the wreck began to show signs of clearing.

The tunnel in which the wreck occurred is about 900 feet long and is cut through the solid rock. It is situated about four miles of Altamont and twelve miles east of Livermore. It is about equidistant between Livermore and Tracy.

It was at Livermore the work train received its orders to go toward the east. It was at Tracy the express received orders to proceed to the west.

The work train had been repairing the track in the vicinity of Livermore and Altamont, and having finished its work was bound for points in the vicinity of Tracy.

The express was headed for Oakland and should have reached here in the evening at 5:30 o'clock. It was behind time, however, because it had been detained near Brentwood. This is a station on the main run from Los Angeles, west of Tracy. When the express reached Brentwood it was held, because there was an immense wash-out between Avon and Martinez. At that time there was also a washout on the Livermore line, which runs to Tracy. The express could, therefore, go at the time it was detained, neither by the Martinez nor Livermore route. The track on the latter line, however, needed only a small amount of repairs, and as soon as these were finished, the express was ordered to Oakland via Livermore.

In order to carry out the order the express returned to Tracy, and there at 6 P. M. it left over the Livermore line. At the same time the work train was speeding to meet it, with what result is known.

The engine on the express was the heavy freight locomotive, 1721. The number of the work engine is unknown.

As a consequence of the wreck and washout, the overland trains which should have left here last night, did not go to till this morning. They then went via Niles, because the washout at Avon was still unrepaired.

THE DEAD MEN.

The trainmen who were killed are married and have families, each having two children.

The bodies of the unfortunate men will be brought to the Morgue this afternoon and an inquest will be held tonight.

BETRAYED A CLIENT.

A Prominent Attorney Goes to Jail.

CINCINNATI, January 5.—Judge Sage in the United States District Court today sentenced ex-United States District Attorney W. B. Burnett to sixty days' imprisonment for embezzling $9000 from a client, Mrs Bennett.

This sentence is a concurrent sentence of six months for contempt of court, which Burnett is serving.

Unless Burnett is able to produce bonds, which seems improbable, the concurrent sentence is practically an indefinite one.

Since its great victory at the World's Fair the sales of Dr. Price's Baking Powder have increased tenfold.

A Fatal Collision.

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., January 5.—Nathan Fuller and Charles King, drovers, were killed and two carloads of sheep slaughtered on the Lehigh Valley railroad today, by a freight train running into the rear of another at a siding.

A Strike Broken.

PITTSBURG, January 5.—The strike at the Edgar Thompson Steel Works, at Braddock, is broken. About 250 furnacemen have returned to work. The Homestead strike is still on, but a meeting of the men will be held tomorrow to determine on the future.

Death of a Prominent G. A. R. Man.

PHILADELPHIA, January 5.—Captain John Taylor, receiver of taxes in this city, died today. He was a candidate for commander-in-chief at the recent national Grand Army of the Republic encampment.

The Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5.—Wheat, firm; May, 99. Barley, firmer; May, 92⅞.

CHICAGO, January 5.—Wheat, January, 54½@54⅝; May, 58⅛@58⅝. Corn, January, 45⅛ bid; May, 47⅞.

The Stock Market.

NEW YORK, January 5.—After 11 o'clock the general market was heavy. It closed steady.

TREASON.

Dreyfus Publicly Disgraced.

His Sword Is Broken in Halves.

Humiliation Showered On an Army Officer.

His Bitter Anguish as the Tragedy Was Enacted.

PARIS, January 5.—Captain W. Fred Dreyfus of the Fourteenth Regiment of Artillery, recently attached to the general staff of the Army, who was tried by court martial, convicted of treason in disclosing important war office documents to foreigners and sentenced to deportation and imprisonment for life in the fortress, was publicly degraded this morning in front of the military school of this city.

Dreyfus turned deathly pale as he signed the prison register.

When this formality was gone through two gendarmes with revolvers escorted him to a closed military wagon, in which, surrounded by guards with drawn swords, Dreyfus was driven to the military school.

The route was lined by thousands.

On arrival at the school Dreyfus was placed in an improvised cell.

Detachments from every branch of the garrison of Paris began assembling in the place De Fontage, and by 9 A. M. fully 9000 troops were ranged about the quadrangle.

At 9 o'clock, Dreyfus was conducted to the square and led before General Darres, in command of troops, and the sentence of the court martial was read to the prisoner.

The general said: "You are adjudged unworthy to bear arms. In the name of the French people, I degrade you."

THE ORDER GIVEN.

General Darres gave a sharp word of command and a non-commissioned officer of the Republican Guard approached Dreyfus.

The infantry presented arms, the cavalry presented swords and there was a long, solemn roll from the massed drum corps.

Dreyfus started back as the non-commissioned officer touched him and shouted, "I am innocent, I swear it. Vive la France."

A non-commissioned officer then tore off Dreyfus' epaulets and all the distinctive marks of his rank as captain of artillery, and ending with breaking the prisoner's sword in two and throwing the two halves at his feet.

Dreyfus was then marched bareheaded around the entire square, in front of the troops.

He was greatly excited and shouted repeatedly, "I am innocent, I swear it," but every time the prisoner spoke, in accordance with orders previously issued, his voice was drowned by a roll of drums.

As Dreyfus passed in front of the place occupied by the representatives of the press he shouted, "Tell the whole of France I am innocent."

This caused some of the officers of the army reserve standing near to retort, "Down with Judas! Silence the traitor!"

It was evident Dreyfus felt these words keenly, for he turned sharply around and faced the officers in a threatening manner, but before he could do or say anything further he was seized by the soldiers and forced to continue his humiliating march around the square.

The crowd outside the square on hearing the prisoner's voice when he protested innocence, raised fierce cries of "Death to the traitor."

The cries of the populace were accompanied by shrill whistling peculiar to a Parisian mob.

When the proceedings were ended, Dreyfus was handcuffed, taken to the prison van and driven to the ordinary prison, escorted by a squad of gendarmes amid cries of "Death to traitors."

SAVED FROM THE SEA.

A Thrilling Experience on the Eastern Coast.

HULL, Mass., January 5.—An unknown two masted schooner supposed to be a fisherman, is ashore on the east end of Long Island.

Shortly after 10 o'clock a life-saving crew succeeded in rescuing the crew of nine men from the rigging, where they were clinging half frozen.

The schooner was the Job H. Jackson Jr., of Port Amboy, N. J., from Norfolk, Va., for Portland, Maine, with a cargo of coal. The vessel is going to pieces.

Stole Trust Funds.

NEW YORK, January 5.—Martin J. Vandohelen, head bookkeeper of the Clausen & Son Brewing Company, is charged with peculations to the amount of $50,000. It is said the money taken was lost in speculation. Vandohelen has disappeared.

A COLD WELCOME.

A Reception Committee for Tramps at Santa Rosa.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., January 5.—Tramps from Sacramento county are coming into Santa Rosa in uncomfortable numbers.

The city authorities are taking vigorous measures against them.

A rockpile is to be established, where every vagrant found within the city will be put at hard labor five hours for every meal furnished.

Besides this punishment, each tramp will be given a cold water bath as soon as arrested.

Extra policemen will be employed, and very strict measures taken against the predatory class.

EXAMINING SUSPECTS.

The Cashier of the Ontario Bank Making the Rounds.

LOS ANGELES, January 5.—Cashier Fred Stamm of the Ontario State Bank, on seeing Edward Steadman and Frank Carway, the two men now in jail here charged with bank robbery, declared positively that they are not the men who robbed the bank.

He left for Riverside where he goes to look at two other men held there on the same charge.

The Chinese could fight better if they used Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Burns Going Back Home.

NEW YORK, January 5.—John Burns, M. P., sailed at noon today on the steamer Etruria, accompanied by J. Williams and F. Benn M. P.

The "Colon" All Safe.

BALTIMORE, January 5.—The Earndale, from Santiago, has brought in the tug Colon last night, reported lost.

IT IS FILED.

The Annexation Petition Goes on Record.

It Contains One-fifth of the City Electors.

Twenty-six Hundred Names Signed to the Document.

After several days of hard work on the part of the Poirier brothers of Temescal, the names on the petition for the annexation of the territory lying between Berkeley and Oakland have been checked off and the petition has been placed on file in the City Clerk's office. The document contains 2600 signatures. It reads as follows:

"*To the Honorable City Council of Oakland:*—The undersigned qualified electors of the city of Oakland, residing therein and representing and constituting not less than one-fifth of the number of qualified electors in said city of Oakland, computed upon the number of votes cast at the last municipal election held therein, hereby respectfully petition and ask your honorable board to have said take such steps and proceedings as may be necessary to alter the boundaries of said city of Oakland, so as to annex thereto, incorporate and include therein and make a part thereof all the following new territory lying and being in the township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, more particularly described as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the present northerly and easterly charter or boundary line of the city of Oakland, running thence westerly along said northerly charter or boundary line to the westerly boundary line of the county of Alameda in the bay of San Francisco; thence northerly and along said westerly boundary line of Alameda county to an intersection with the present charter line of the Town of Berkeley, thence in an easterly direction and following said southerly charter line of the Town of Berkeley to the point formed by the intersection of said southerly line to the Town of Berkeley with the present easterly charter line of the town of Berkeley, thence southeasterly in a direct line to the point of commencement. And should my name appear in another annexation petition which this includes I wish the same to be cancelled."

Then follow the names.

ORANGES IN DEMAND.

The Florida Crop Almost All Frozen Out.

NEW YORK, January 5.—The Fruit Exchange has advices that the orange crop of Florida is a complete failure, owing to the freeze of the last few days.

The temperature has been the lowest in twelve years.

Fully 2,500,000 cases of oranges are reported frozen.

Early vegetables have also been frozen.

Oranges have risen in price here from about $1 50 a case to $4 50.

TERRIFIC GALES.

They Break With Severity on the Atlantic Coast.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER, January 5.—The schooner Fanny Kimmey from Savannah for Philadelphia, which has arrived here, reports she experienced terrific northeast gales December 29th, with a tremendous sea off Cape Hatteras.

She lost one man overboard and several of the crew were injured.

Wants a High Place.

CHICAGO, January 5.—Ex-Congressman George E. Adams has formally announced himself as a candidate for the United States Senatorship from Illinois, now held by Senator Cullom.

FLOODS.

Railroads Badly Washed Out.

Terrific Effects of the Storm.

The San Lorenzo Creek Breaks Its Banks.

Orchards Badly Damaged and Bridges Carried Away.

PORTLAND, Or., January 5.—Communication with San Francisco was restored today by the arrival of the Southern Pacific overland, this morning, nearly twenty-four hours behind schedule time.

The train due here this morning is reported eleven hours late.

Nothing has been heard from the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company's train, which is snow-bound at Bonneville.

The steamer Harvest Queen left this city, this morning, for Bonneville to bring delayed passengers in.

Owing to the prostration of the wires, it is not known whether she reached her destination or not.

The Columbia river is filled with floating ice.

On the Northern Pacific the wires are down, but the trains are running on regular time.

THE SANTA CRUZ LINE.

Passengers on the Broad Guage Have a Hard Time.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., January 5.—The passengers, who left San Francisco for this city on the broad guage train yesterday, did not reach here until 3 o'clock this morning, owing to the delay at Gilroy, where water surrounded the depot.

The train only came as far as Capitola, where it reached at 1 o'clock this morning.

From Capitola the passengers reached this city by vehicle.

Although the San Lorenzo river is still high, much of the flooded district is now free from water.

The roads have been washed out near Glenwood and other places in the county.

BROKE ITS BANKS.

The San Lorenzo Creek on a Big Tear.

There was much excitement in the vicinity of San Lorenzo and Haywards last evening. The San Lorenzo creek has been booming during the storm, and it was expected that it would cause some trouble.

Last night the bank of the creek broke about a mile north of Haywards, causing much damage. A large quantity of water went through the orchards of Horry Meek, Edward Hathaway and the Martin place. The water carried away bridges and fences, and did much destruction in general. The roots of hundreds of fruit trees in the orchards were laid bare.

The water sped on and carried away a portion of the railroad track between Haywards and San Lorenzo, stopping all traffic for a couple of hours.

The road from San Lorenzo to Mt. Eden was under water for a half a mile south of San Lorenzo, and one large bridge was completely washed away. All travel between Mt. Eden and San Lorenzo was stopped until this morning. In some places along the Mt. Eden road land could not be seen for half a mile.

R. C. Vose, who lives at San Lorenzo, says that it was one of the heaviest floods that he has seen in the district for a long time. "It is hard to estimate the damage at this time," said he. "In many of the orchards the roots of the fruit trees are washed bare and many of them may die. Numerous fences were destroyed and one big bridge is gone. The flood has subsided today and now everything is quiet."

THE STORM'S FURY.

Its Effect in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

The storm in Oakland and vicinity has evidently spent its fury, as since yesterday but little damage has been reported.

The city has been divided into two sections, one of which is under the supervision of the Street Superintendent. The other is looked after by an assistant. The employes of the Street Department are busily engaged in clearing the gutters, which were overburdened by the violence of the storm.

Several basements in the business part of town have been flooded, to the destruction of their contents.

The water front is in a worse condition than it was yesterday. In places the slush on the street is almost a foot deep. The condition of affairs is caused and aggravated by the heavy wagons which are constantly passing to and fro.

AT BERKELEY.

Berkeley's Town Marshal is handicaped by the lack of means and men at his disposal and the extensive territory he is obliged to cover. What damage the town has suffered can be repaired in a few days, however. University avenue is badly cut up by the terrific rainfall. In some places the sidewalks are useless, even with rubber overshoes. Last night the sewers, especially on Channing and Bancroft ways, were compelled to carry such an amount of water that it spurted through the manholes for several inches, washing away the macadam from the streets and choking up gutters. The street-car tracks have also been flooded.

AT ALAMEDA.

Alameda has escaped comparatively unscathed. The admirable street and sewer system of the Encinal City and slope of the land has served to carry away the surplus water.

THE PRECIPITATION.

The rainfall for the twenty-four hours ending at 1 o'clock this afternoon amounts to .24 of an inch. For the season, 20.79 inches. For the same time last season, 9 50 inches.

TRAINS DELAYED.

The Oregon train due here yesterday morning arrived at noon today via Livermore and was followed soon after by the Oregon express, due this morning. It came by way of Benicia.

The two overland trains due here this morning from the East and South will arrive here this evening between 5 and 6 o'clock.

ON THE RACK.

Examination of Applicants for Police Stars.

A Big Crowd of "Would-Be's" on Hand.

George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers Are the Inquisitors.

Tall men, short men, fat men, thin men, men with fiery Don Juan mustaches and men with parson like demeanor, gathered in the City Hall this morning to submit to an examination as to their qualifications for appointment to the police force.

The examination is under the supervision of George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers.

As a rule the applicants have an intelligent appearance, though the usual number of men who spell cow with a "k" and are somewhat vague as to reading abilities are on hand.

The morning examination consisted of reading, writing, arithmetic and spelling.

In the afternoon the would be policemen wrestled with interrogations concerning police rules and regulations, the penal code, locality of streets, and city government. The successful applicants will not be announced for several days. The list is by 25 per cent the largest on record.

The applicants are as follows: Robert Callet, 1254 Third avenue; W. F. Woods, 489 Twenty-second street; W. E. Wade, 69 Bay street; C. V. Wiener, 1625 Taylor street; O. F. Turner, 941 Campbell street; J. Sperry, 157 Sixth street; J. S. Samuel, 1112 Webster street; M. L. Sullivan, 680 East Fourteenth street; J. M. Smith, 2030 Market street; T. E. Stack, 810 Harrison street; J. D. Southwell, Eleventh and Franklin streets; F. W. Ryan, 817 Sixteenth street; George Payne, 1314 Twelfth avenue; O. Osborne, 985 Willow street; J. L. Noble, 1728 Eighth street; P. McKay, 857 Myrtle street; J. P. Mortensen, 1727 Myrtle street; W. P. Manning, 1605 Taylor street; A. Morrison, 3 Athol avenue; F. W. Little, 2202 Market street; F. L. Loveland, 1566 Twenty-third avenue; P. R. Lewis, 1880 West Seventh street; F. W. Keller, 1741 William street; E. Jackson, 1658 Seventh street; James Hall; E. J. G. Hahn, 1940 Linden street; J. R. Graham, 665 Thirty-fourth street; J. T. Gardiner, 762 Sixteenth street; P. Gairety, 807 Isabella street; F. J. Downey, W. J. Cashin, L. P. Connor, 527 Seventh street; H. A. Clapp, 704 Webster street; G. D. Bishop, 1054 Chester street; V. H. Belfils, 801 San Pablo avenue; J. O. Bell, 816 Alice street; B. B. Booth, 804 Twelfth street; G. S. Andrews, 968 Fifth street and W. Abel, 762 Ninth street.

Women can't vote in New York, but they can in Wyoming. Everywhere they vote for Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

CRACKSMEN CALL.

Jacob Mohr's Store at Berkeley is Raided.

The tobacco store of Jacob Mohr, near the corner of Shattuck avenue and Dwight way, Berkeley, was entered by burglars last night, and about $75 worth of cigars, cigarettes and tobacco was carried away. The thieves entered through a rear door, after which they easily gained entrance to the store.

Constable Newell claims to have learned the identity of the robbers, who he says reside in the town, and he is taking steps to have warrants issued for their arrest.

The Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, January 5.—The weekly bank statement is: Loans, increase $743,000; specie, increase $2,106,400; legal tenders, decrease $624,100; deposits, increase $3,366,400; circulation, increase $110,400. The banks now hold $35,-362,050 in excess of the requirements.

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ROD IS BRAVE.

The County Recorder Purchases a Hoodoo,

Its Influence Has Been Felt on Politics.

A Rabbit's Foot Now Called on to Break the Spell.

The "hoodoo" pistol was again brought forth this morning by County Treasurer Chase and offered for sale at public auction. This time the Treasurer met with better luck. The pistol has a history. It is of the American bulldog pattern and is a fine weapon. It was used by an unknown suicide, who died in the Berkeley hills. Coroner Evers took charge of it and then turned it over to the Treasurer, as it escheated to the State. A general belief prevailed that the pistol had a "hoodoo" attached to it. While it was in the possession of George Chase he lost a renomination. He still had it in his possession when he was defeated for re-election.

Mr. Chase offered the pistol for sale, but could not get a bid on it. The "hoodoo" now seemed to be complete. This morning, however, County Recorder Rod Church broke the spell. The weapon was offered for sale at public auction.

Charley Ayers started the ball rolling by bidding two and a half cents. Frank Jordan made it five cents and R. C. Vose raised it to a quarter. The "hoodoo" pistol was finally knocked down to Church for $1 75. As soon as the Recorder received the pistol he rubbed it with a rabbit's foot that had been prepared by George H. Mason. Mr. Church thinks that he has now effectually broken the back of the "hoodoo."

FRICK'S FAREWELL.

Resolutions Adopted by the County Board.

At a meeting of the County Board of Education held at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools this morning some miscellaneous business was transacted, after which the following resolutions were introduced by Mr. Ludlow:

WHEREAS, George W. Frick has been for many years a member of the Alameda County Board of Education, by appointment and by virtue of his office as County Superintendent of Schools of said county; and

WHEREAS, We, the members of the aforesaid board, have always found in him an active and efficient co-laborer in the cause of education; and

WHEREAS, Said George W. Frick is now about to sever his connection with this board, to assume the principalship of one of the leading grammar schools of the city of Oakland; therefore,

Resolved, That in the retirement of George W. Frick, the Board of Education of Alameda county loses a valuable and progressive member. A member whose ambition has been earnestly directed to the improvement of our public schools and to the advancement of education generally.

In all our associations with him in this educational work we have found him to be a kind and courteous gentleman.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of the board and that they be published in the daily papers.

After remarks by Chairman Lynch, referring in a feeling manner to the many years of pleasant and profitable associations between himself and the retiring Superintendent of Schools, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Mr. Frick responded appropriately at some length and introduced his successor, J. P. Garlick, who also made a few remarks.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES.

Dr. Wendte Will Give an Interesting Series.

Rev. C. W. Wendte will give tomorrow evening at the Unitarian Church, corner Castro and Fourteenth streets, an illustrated discourse on "Inspiration in Word, Picture and Song."

The illustration will consist of stereopticon views selected or prepared for the discourse, and appropriate music by the choir.

Sunday evening, January 13th, the pastor will begin a course of fortnightly illustrated lectures on "Sundays in Italy," as follows:

January 13th—"Milan and the Cities and Scenery of Northern Italy."

January 27th—"Venice in Art and Story."

February 10th—"Florence; Its Men and Memories."

February 24th—"Rome; Ancient and Early Christian."

March 10th—"Rome; Medieval and Modern."

March 24th—"Naples and Its Bay."

These lectures will be informal and largely reminiscent and will be illustrated with a large collection of stereopticon views of the scenery, monuments, churches, sculptures and paintings of Italy.

Political excitement cannot interrupt the constantly growing demand for Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It's the popular choice.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Bench.

T. C. Fenner, G. G. Armstrong and Marshall Diggs filed their report as appraisers of the estate of John Folsom Clark, and Anna Clark, minors, in court this morning. They appraise the estate at $400.

Dennis A. Landregan of Berkeley was, this morning, allowed ten days additional time in which to answer the complaint of C. Newman, by Judge [illegible].

[illegible] W. Harris reports fees as a notary public for the past year at $87 50. [illegible] Vandervoort, also a notary public, reports fees from April 21st to December 31st, at $68.

Rufus Smith's Estate.

[illegible] inventory and appraisement of [illegible] of Rufus Smith, deceased, [illegible] with the County Clerk today. [illegible] W. F. Kroll, P. A. [illegible] and John L. Bromley, value [illegible] at $40,000. The claim of [illegible] against the estate for $2500 [illegible] approved, as has also the [illegible] H. and C. M. Selfridge for [illegible]

A Lady Notary.

[illegible] well reports fees as a [illegible] June 1st to December [illegible]

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WATER STREET.

Steps to Be Taken for a Big Improvement.

Opening a New Avenue on the Water Front.

Preliminary Measures to Be Taken on Monday Next.

At the next meeting of the Council, the preliminary steps will be taken towards carrying out the intent of the charter regarding the opening of a railroad avenue two-hundred feet in width along the water front on the line of Water street. Councilman Barstow has, for a long time, been earnestly desirous of carrying out such an improvement. He made an effort a year ago to get it started, but other important matters were then occupying the Council's attention, and the opening of Water street had to be shelved for the time.

Now the subject is to be again taken up, and the ball will be started by the introduction of a suitable resolution, providing for plans and surveys, etc., by Councilman Snell on Monday night. If the Supreme Court of the United States decides the water front cases in favor of the city the proposed improvement will be simplified. It is proposed that Water street shall be opened now from Canal street, at the head of the estuary, following the bulkhead line established by the Government engineers along the shore line of the Seventh ward to Eleventh street, thence along the western shore line of the north arm of the estuary to the line of Water street as laid out on the north side of the estuary, thence to Pine street, which terminates at the east end of the training wall.

Mr. Barstow has favored the extension of the avenue along the western side of the city, as provided for in the charter, but his associates think it would be best to postpone that part until some later day.

If the Supreme Court renders a decision before the end of February, which it is believed it will, the present Council will be able to push the work far enough ahead to assure its consummation by its successor.

It is very reasonably believed that the proposed action of the Council will also have the effect of making the subject of local improvements the main issue in the coming campaign, and that it will be on such a broad and enlightened scale that it will open up a new era in the history of Oakland. Mr. Barstow has been required to wait patiently for a long time for his colleagues to come to his way of thinking, but they appear to be getting in line now very rapidly.

FOR LEISURE HOURS.

A Charming Work Issued for Musicians.

"The Musician's Leisure Hour" is the title of a neatly bound volume just issued by J. H. Rosewald of San Francisco. It is a collection of musical anecdotes, instructive articles on the violin, piano and other instruments, short poems, etc., the combination making a most readable and interesting production. The author has dedicated it to Mrs. M. H. De Young, who is aptly described as "the musician's friend."

The thorough acquaintance of the author with his subjects is exemplified in every page. Mr. Rosewald is well known in musical circles on the Pacific Coast, for in addition to being a thoroughly practical musician, he is one of the best qualified and most popular instructors in this section. His ingenuity is well evidenced in the able collection of anecdotes and aphorisms which signalize the book, and even those who do not class themselves as musicians will never regret the time passed in its perusal.

The book is neatly bound and is for sale at the music and book stores. Price, $1 25.

The Alameda Veterans.

The Alameda Veterans' Republican Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Colonel George Babcock, president; Ralph Hamlin, secretary; Charles L. Metzger, treasurer; Board of Directors, F. J. Fletter, E. B. Dunning and J. C. Linderman. The club will hold a regular meeting on the first Tuesday in each month.

A Farewell Party.

A most enjoyable party was tendered Miss Elizabeth McCall last evening by the members of the G. A. M. O. Dancing Club at Montana Hall. It was in honor of the young lady's departure for Stanford University. The hall and banquet rooms were decorated with potted plants, ferns and crimson bunting. Dancing was the main feature of the evening, and near midnight a delicious supper was served in the banquet room.

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Annual Discount Sale Is Now in Full Swing.

For the next thirty days we will continue to give from 10 to 25 per cent discount on all woolen goods, and also we offer 10 per cent discount from regular prices on all our particularly choice stock. Sole agents for Jaeger Sanitary Underwear, Butterick Patterns, Centemeri Gloves. TAFT & PENNOYER, 1163-65-67 Broadway.

CAN HOLD OUT.

A Case Affecting Street Car Companies.

A case of considerable importance to street car employes and companies was decided by Judge Allen this morning.

J. M. Ollien, a motorman, brought suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company to recover $25, the deposit required of employes to protect the companies from carelessness.

The testimony showed that some time ago Ollien ran into another car on a switch and damaged it to the extent of $15.

When he was discharged the $15 was deducted from his deposit. Ollien brought suit to recover the entire amount.

Judge Allen decided in the company's favor.

W. R. DAVIS HERE.

He Returns Safely From Washington.

W. R. Davis returned this afternoon from Washington where he went to argue the Oakland Water Front case before the Supreme Court.

Luscious as California fruit is the food made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder. Dr Price's received gold medal at the California Midwinter Fair.

PUBLIC SPIRITED.

Deserved Success Is Attending the Salingers.

People of this city are disposed to give credit to the public-spirited business men who have invested their capital in Oakland enterprises, and none of these men who are so commended deserve the commendation more than do Salinger Brothers. As everybody knows, this reputable firm has its palatial store, with its immense stock of dry and fancy goods, at 1013-1019 Washington street. This store is the handsomest and best lighted in town. On the darkest day goods may be seen in their true color.

The firm has just accomplished a grand business stroke by the purchase of the entire stock of the Jamestown, New York, Knitting Mills, which is one of the most valued and complete in the country. When this stock arrives it will be put on sale and disposed of at factory prices.

This will be the finest opportunity the people of this city and vicinity will have to obtain a supply of these valuable goods. Aside from their beauty, the prices at which they will be sold will put them in great demand.

Garbage Dumpers.

J. L. Hayes, A. Malinsera, N. Dounce, Antone Peralta, and L. Stagnaro, were arrested this afternoon on complaint of John P. Irish, for dumping garbage on the marsh at Twenty-second and Peralta streets, which Irish claims is in violation of city ordinances. The men arrested claim to have been acting under authority given them by the City Council.

A Forger Held to Answer.

Jacob Levy was held to answer in the Superior Court on a charge of forgery by Judge Allen this morning. Bonds were fixed at $2000.

Rough on Beggars.

Frank Burns and James Duffy, two beggars, were sentenced to sixty days each by Judge Wood this morning.

Died at the Infirmary.

Thomas McMillan, a native of Scotland, aged 43 years, died at the County Infirmary, January 3d.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE

Of the Bon Ton Restaurant at No. 1062 Washington Street (Under People's Theater), on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 2 O'clock P. M.

To settle up partnership, this restaurant, doing a fine business, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. Property consists of tables, chairs, linen, plated ware, cash register, cutlery, safe, counter, kitchen utensils, fine range, stock of groceries and stock of liquors. Place will be offered at one lot and if bid not satisfactory, will be sold piecemeal.

Terms cash.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

The next term of the Oakland Seminary, 528 Eleventh street, will commence on Monday, January 7, 1895. The departments are Kindergarten, Primary and Academic, and prepares for colleges and universities.

MRS. M. K. BLAKE, Principal.

Hacks and cabs at all hours, telephone 48. City Hall Livery and Gurney Cab Company, Fourteenth and Washington streets. Special attention given to boarding horses.

Get your watches and jewelry repaired by R. Wickman, Jeweler, formerly with Shreve, 1215 Broadway.

The best of wines, liquors and cigars, a "Our Corner," Fifteenth and San Pablo Ike Foster, proprietor.

CABINET. For Holiday Drinks by professional mixologists, 409 12th street. FRANK PEARCE.

"My Cake Is Dough," did not use Sperry's Flour.

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FIRE SETS in iron and brass for $1 at Mitchell & Tutt's, 465 Thirteenth street

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Chairs to let for parties and entertainments.

TRY Joe Bouquet's Napa soda lemonade sherry flip, whisky punch, soft toddy, and Manhattan cocktail. Excelled by none. Try and be convinced. Galindo Hotel bar.

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Have You a Ticket?

December 21 and 22 we give away a lot of toys at H. Schellhaas.

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In accepting the Presidency of the Honduras National Lottery Company (Louisiana State Lottery Company) I shall not surrender the Presidency of the Gulf Coast Ice and Manufacturing Company, of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

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Money Saving Sale

Our Annual Reduction Sale will begin next Monday. It will pay you to look to us for all January wants in our line. Special prices in every department in the store.

Begins Monday, January 7th.

A Suitable Christmas Present

For any lady is a box of Lehnhardt's French candy. 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Knives and Gas Lamps and a charming selection of holiday goods for Christmas presents, both useful and ornamental; see our odorless oil heating stoves. Mitchell & Tutt.

Can You Shoot?

Fifty-five dollars cash for the best shots in Oakland. For particulars call at Creedmore range, 465 Twelfth street.

THE physicians send all their patients to Theo. Gier, 915 Washington street, for pure wines and liquors for medicinal purposes.

Fill the Children's Stockings

With only the purest and freshest candy, such as you can get at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between 13th and 14th sts.

Here's What You Want for the Holidays—One of Those Elegant New Style Rockers, Desks or Tables

Just received, and at prices that will suit you. Also some nice second-hand furniture at auction prices. Call and see at our elegant new stores. C. W. KINSEY, 462-464 Thirteenth street.

The Holidays Are Ended

And the Schreiber Furniture Company enjoyed a better trade than they expected. They have taken stock and are now offering great reductions on all articles in their mammoth stock of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, Rugs and Mattings. Their unique designs in Figured Corduroy Parlor Sets are something worth seeing, and there is not an article needed to handsomely furnish a home but what can be found at the Schreiber Furniture Company's Stores, at 1157 and 1159 Washington street.

The Ferris Wheel rolls on merrily at the Grand Rule Bazaar, corner Ninth and Washington streets. Everybody is invited to visit Santa Claus.

Hanging Lamps

For parlor and store use at H. Schellhaas.

If you are about to paint, paper or decorate your house, call on James Cahill & Co., 408 Twelfth street.

The reporter called—Say, Sanborn, what's the news today?

"Why, have you not heard the news? Look into these bins and drawers and see those fine Hyacinths, Tulips and Daffodils and the largest assortment of Spring flowering bulbs in the city."

"These are fine looking bulbs, sure."

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IMPORTED ale and porter, the best for invalids, at Theo. Gier's, 915 Washington street.

DIED

HUBBARD—Near Altamont, January 4, 1895, Henry G., beloved husband of Dora Hubbard, and son of Warren Hubbard, a native of Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 2 years, 7 months and 24 days.

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Steam, Medical and Electric Baths, and all the appointments of a first-class Hospital, and all the requirements, conveniences and comforts of a Private Home for Invalids are here provided.

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STATEMENT

....OF....

The Condition, Value and Location of the

ASSETS and LIABILITIES

....OF THE....

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A Corporation doing business at the northeast corner of

BROADWAY and TWELFTH ST.

OAKLAND, CAL.

Dated - December 31, 1894

ASSETS.

1. Loans secured by first mortgage real estate in this State, the [illegible] of which is............$ 084 17 1 61

The location of these loans is as follows:

Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley	$2,503,989 [illegible]	
Alameda County	$84,826 31	
Butte	5,000 00	
Colusa	10,586 48	
Contra Costa	7,700 00	
Fresno	47,603 51	
Glenn	18,325 65	
San Benito	8,286 30	
Solano	10,192 12	
Tulare	42,661 55	280,185 22

Total real estate loans..$2,031,174 61

2. Loans secured by bonds and stocks and other personal securities, the actual value of which is.... 160,105 92

3. United States Government Bonds and bonds secured by first mortgage on real estate within this state, and municipal bonds, stocks and warrants, the actual value of which, is............ 1,303,706 80

The mortgage bonds, certificates of stock and other securities above referred to are kept and held in the vaults of said corporation.

4. Bonds deposited in Mercantile Safe Deposit Company Vaults in New York City, the actual value of which is............ 201,253 25

5. Bank building and lot (including safe deposit vaults), corner Twelfth street and Broadway, Oakland, the actual value of which is............ 100,000 00

6. Other real estate in the Counties of Alameda, Butte, Fresno and Solano, the actual value of which is............ 64,715 28

7. Cash on hand and in banks..... 426,034 00

$5,439,989 86

LIABILITIES.

1. To depositors, said corporation owes deposits amounting to.....$4,508,525 40

2. To stockholders, the amount of the capital stock............ 480,000 00

3. Reserve and Contingent Funds... 151,461 46

(The condition of said liability to stockholders is that no part of this amount can be paid to them, or in any way withdrawn, until all depositors shall have been paid in full the amount of their deposits and declared dividends, except in payment of losses during the existence of the corporation.)

$5,439,989 86

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS,
By ISAAC L. REQUA............President
and by W. W. GARTHWAITE..........Cashier

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, } ss.

Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite being each separately duly sworn, each for himself, says: That the said Isaac L. Requa is President, and that the said W. W. Garthwaite is Cashier of The Oakland Bank of Savings, the corporation above mentioned, and that the foregoing statement is true. ISAAC L. REQUA, W. W. GARTHWAITE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fourth day of January, A. D. 1895.

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COR. BROADWAY AND TWELFTH ST.

INCORPORATED 1867

Authorized Capital - $1,000,000 00
Capital Paid in - - - 480,000 00
Reserve and Contingent Fund 150,000 00
Deposits, Jan. 1, 1894, - 5,167,822 22

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Reserve Fund..............75,000
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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

The regular COURSE OF LECTURES will begin Monday, Jan. 7, at 9 A. M., at the College building, Stockton st., near Chestnut, San Francisco. R. A. McLEAN, M. D., Dean, 305 Kearny street, corner Bush, San Francisco.

CHURCH CHAT.

Gleanings About the Doings of the Pastors.

The Texts Selected for the Sunday Services.

Changes in Some of the Parishes and the Reasons Therefor.

Rev. David Wetzell, for several years pastor at Portland, Or., but more recently of Woodland, Cal., one of the most popular preachers of his denomination on the coast, has been extended a call to become pastor of the First Christian Church, corner Thirteenth and Market streets. It is understood he has accepted the call and will begin his pastorate Sunday, January 13th, inst.

The Woodland *Mail* says: "Last Sunday Rev. Wetzell, pastor of the Christian Church of this city, presented his resignation to his official board. This action was in pursuance of the pastor's constraint to accept a call from the First Christian Church of Oakland. It goes without saying that Mr. Wetzell's prospective departure occasions sincere regret, not only among the earnest members of his flock, but with the community at large. During Mr. Wetzell's residence in Woodland the various Protestant churches of this city have worked together in a unity of spirit and sympathy to a greater degree than for many years; and the *Mail* believes every pastor in the city gives Mr. Wetzell a generous share of the credit for such a pleasant social and religious relationship. Fearless and uncompromising in defending what he believes to be right and decent, he has wielded a powerful influence upon the thought of the community, and what he has said will not be forgotten as soon as he is gone. And when, in years from now, the history of the Christian Church is written it will be said of David Wetzell that a more courageous, earnest, faithful, able preacher of the gospel never expounded God's word from its pulpit. Not long ago one of our "dyed-in-the-wool" Methodist sisters attended one of Mr. Wetzell's services. His sermon pleased her so that she confessed to her surprise that she should hear such good old-fashioned Methodist preaching in a Christian Church. Not long after this a good Baptist lady happening to hear one of the versatile clergyman's sermons declared that his theology was of the simon pure Baptist sort, just the kind she loved to hear. These are authentic instances, and are indicative of the broad gauge Christianity that inspires him. His hosts of friends in Woodland will wish him God-speed in his new field of labor."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Koehne will speak morning and night, giving the opening discourses of a "Course on the Life of Christ." Morning topic: "Judaism Before Christ." Evening: "Paganism Before Christ."

BAPTIST MISSION, Campbell street—Preaching by Rev. L. T. Bush at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

ELMHURST—Rev. N. F. Hoyt will preach in Parsons' Hall at 11 A. M. Sunday school in the same place at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Tomorrow evening the Rev. C. H. Hobart begins a series of six sermons on the Prodigal Son. The following will be the topics: "Leaving Home," "Riotous Living," "A Mighty Famine," "Mental Equilibrium," "The Prodigal's Purpose," and "The Wanderer's Welcome."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. J. H. Hughes of San Jose will preach tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Dr. Sweeney of this city filling his pulpit at San Jose. Rev. Mr. Wetzell, the new pastor-elect, will inaugurate his pastorate one week from tomorrow, January 13th. The church has been without a regular pastor for over a year, and having enlarged its chapel, improved and re-furnished, it will begin the new year with active and regular work. Rev. Dr. Sweeney, who was pastor some eight years, has been filling the pulpit temporarily the past few months, severs his connection and gives over the charge to Rev. Wetzell, the pastor-elect.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor. Communion service 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Eucharist." Sunday school at 12 o'clock; 7:30 P. M. subject "The True Spiritual Life."

GOSPEL MISSION, 418 Eighth street—Bishop Hart and wife will speak at 3:30 P. M. Subject, "Full Salvation;" and Dr. W. O. Buckland, in the evening, at 7:45 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harrison and Fourteenth streets—Rev. R. Ritchie, rector. The Epiphany. Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.; Litany and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6 P. M.; young men's Bible class, 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

EIGHTH AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects: morning: "The Preparation Commanded by Christ." Evening: "Eternity." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Union services Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 7:30 P. M. in the following order: The Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, the Pilgrim Congregational Church, the Eighth Avenue M. E. Church, and the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Grove street, near Eighth—Floyd J. Mynard, rector; Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. The Epiphany—Morning prayer and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 7:30 P. M.; sermons by the rector. Sunday school, 9:40 A. M.

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. C. M. Hill, pastor. Subjects: 10:30 A. M.—"The Heavenly Manna." 7:30 P. M.—"The Father's House," being the first of several short evening sermons on the Prodigal Son. Communion and reception of new members at the morning service.

ST. MARCUS' GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "The Guiding Star."

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Mrs. Mercie M. Thirds, of Chicago, will lecture. Subject: "The Glory of the Masses," at the Theosophical Free Library Rooms, Hamilton Hall, at 7:45 P. M.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. C. W. Wendte preaches at 10:30 A. M. At 7:30 o'clock P. M. the first of a series of illustrated lectures. Topic: "Inspiration in Word, Picture, and Song." The illustration furnished by a stereopticon and the church choir.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Campbell Coyle will speak at 10:30 A. M. on "A Crossless Christianity," and at 7:30 Dr. Coyle will speak on "Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New." There will be preaching in the lecture room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Dupuy.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—There will be held five services in this church. The evangelist, Rev. C. H. Yatman, will speak at four of them as follows: At the regular services, at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. He will speak to women only at 3 P. M. He will address men only at 4 P. M., his theme being "Forty Wrestlers." The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will address a union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies at 6 P. M. The class meeting at 9:15 A. M. will be led by Rev. O. B. Smith and the Sunday school will be held at 12:30 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Communion after the evening service. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 P. M. In Lorin we hold Sunday school at 2 P. M. in the German Methodist Episcopal Church. In East Oakland, in the Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, we will tomorrow at 3 P. M. open up a Swedish Sunday school. A. Nelson, leader. All Scandanavian children welcomed.

CHESTER STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. Rev. M. Shepherd, the evangelist, will conduct the morning and evening services at 10:30 and 7:30 o'clock.

PROSPECT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Power and Value of Prayer." Evening subject; "What Wilt Thou Give Me to Do?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. A New Year's service at which the topic, "Our Church," will be considered from various view points by several speakers.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—In the morning the subject will be: "1895—Shall We Drift or Steer?" In the evening the pastor will speak on, "Sacramento Up to Date."

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Bayley will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. The pastor, G. H. Jones, preaches at the evening service. Subject: "Choosing the Service of God." The evening worship commences with song.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Communion at morning service. Evening subject, "Eternal Youth in Heaven." Next week is the week of prayer, with nightly meetings.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. John Palmer acting pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. James E. Pierce, of the University of California, will supply the pulpit morning and evening. Morning subject: "The Secret of It." Evening subject; "Spiritual Opportunities."

ASBURY CHURCH—Corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets. Rev. G. Bough will preach at 10:30 A. M. on "The Need of the Age;" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Praising God Man's Duty." Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. and Epworth League at 6:15 P. M.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets—Rev. Cader Edwards Davis, minister, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Whole Counsel of God." At 3 P. M., there will be a "minister's congratulatory meeting"—all invited. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Subject of preaching, "On Unto Perfection."

Church Notes.

The revival meetings have now been in progress at the Methodist Church for one week and the public are becoming familiar with Mr. Yatman's methods and people generally are well pleased. He is a tremendous worker and is not satisfied with anything but thorough work. He preaches the old doctrines of repentance and restitution for sin, as far as possible. He magnifies manhood and womanhood and holds up Christ as the only possible means of present and final salvation. The meeting on Friday night was one of great power. All the denomination were represented and many ministers were present. Nine persons rose for prayers; some of them came to the altar and were converted. The meetings will continue every afternoon and night next week and the public are cordially invited.

Rev. J. E. Koehne of Pittsburg, Pa., begins tomorrow morning at the First Congregational Church, under the title of "The Nazarene or the Reasonableness of Christianity," a series of ten sermon-lectures on the life and mission of Jesus. These addresses will cover the ground of the World's preparation for Christ's coming; the Historical Environments of His birth; the Meaning of the Temptation; the revision of Old World religious theories made by the Sermon on the Mount; the Revelation of man's nature and destiny through a Transfigured life; the philosophy of the Miracles; the laws producing a new humanity set forth in His doctrines; the genius of the Disciples; the summing up of His nature and work in the Crucifixion; the study of the Political, Moral and Spiritual forces created by His life.

Mr. Koehne, although yet a comparatively young man, has achieved an enviable reputation on the platform at the East. He several years ago conceived the idea of delivering before churches, colleges and other institutions a carefully prepared series of lectures upon the great theme now announced. Much time and labor has been expended upon the work. It is intended to be in popular form a presentation of Christian apologetics, or Christian evidences; a kind of supplementary evangelism, such as St. Paul performed in his second tour among the churches for the confirmation in faith of those previously convinced and convicted.

Mr. Koehne will continue his addresses each evening next week and until completed. The following is the list of subjects: 1. Judaism Before Christ. 2. Paganism Before Christ. 3. Sermon on the Mount. 4. The Transfiguration. 5. The Miracles. 6. The Greater Doctrines of Jesus. 7. The Crucifixion. 8. The Genius of Christianity. 9. Modern Skepticism. 10. Christianity and Civilization. The addresses are free to the public; at 7:30 each evening.

The attendance at the annual meeting of the First Free Baptist Church on Wednesday evening was larger than that of any annual meeting for several years. C. H. Caswell, the treasurer, reported a reduction of the floating debt since June 1st from $536 to $300. The trustees elected for the ensuing year were: Phineas White, H. W. Snow, E. F. Barrill, Dr. F. E. Pierce, Charles A. Farnham, J. F. Seamans and S. P. Meads. In view of the fact that the acting pastor, Rev. John Palmer, can remain only till spring, the clerk was instructed to correspond with Rev. C. G. Mosher of Worcester, Mass., with a view of his taking the pastorate of the church about April 1st.

Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, preaches tomorrow upon the following themes: Morning, "Abundantly Satisfied." Evening, "Leaving Home," the first in a series upon the Prodigal Son. The Lord's supper will follow the regular morning service.

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B. McFADDEN.

Executor of the last will and testament of Mary Waters, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 5, 1895.

B. McFADDEN, Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of MARGARET FISHER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Thomas F. Garrity, 861 Broadway street, rooms 1 and 2, in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased.

D. HOCKING,

Administrator of the estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 5, 1895.

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THE WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, 5 P. M., January 5, 1895.
SYNOPSIS AND GENERAL FORECASTS.

The storm which has been central for several days on the Pacific coast to the northward is moving into the interior and is now central in Wyoming, while a trough-like depression extends northward throughout Idaho to Washington. All reports from Oregon and Washington are missing this morning, with the exception of Spokane, Portland and Roseburg, and since reports from this district have been missing since Thursday no changes can be observed and the progress of the storm's movement can only be estimated. Heavy rain has fallen throughout California during the past twenty-four hours except in the extreme southeast portion, the heaviest being in the center of the State, where it amounts to from 1 to 3 inches. Light rain or snow has fallen throughout Nevada and the States to the northward. The air pressure is rising throughout California and the greater portion of the storm has passed, although occasional showers are likely to occur.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 24 HOURS, ENDING AT 5 P. M., JANUARY 6, 1895:

Northern California—Scattered showers today or tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

Southern California—Local rain today, ending today or tonight, generally fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, light variable winds.

Nevada—Generally fair, probably slightly cooler.

Utah—Probably fair, slightly cooler tonight.

Arizona—Local rain in northwest portion, probably fair in the southeast portion, nearly stationary temperature.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Showers today and tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON,
Forecast Official.

SATURDAY..........JANUARY 5, 1895

EVERY self-respecting city in the State is preparing to follow Sacramento's example, and relieve itself of the lazy and the lawless. Where does Oakland stand?

LORD KELVIN estimates that the "running slow" of the earth in its daily rotation round its axis amounts to 20 seconds per century. Get ready to set your watches back at midnight, December 31, 1899.

THE "Industrial Army" is made up of vagrants, tramps and ex-convicts and its headquarters have been established at Franklin and Second streets. On Thursday night a burglary was committed in a store on Broadway, only a little more than a block away. Sacramento has been joining incidents of this kind in her experience, and so are men and women of a reflective turn of mind in this city.

AN effort is being made in interested quarters to nullify the effect of the act creating Oakland a sub-port of entry. That act places Oakland in exactly the same position in its relations to San Francisco as Tacoma and other subports of Puget Sound bear to Port Angeles, the port of entry of that inland sea, and a vigorous protest should be raised by every citizen interested in Oakland's present and future welfare against any movement or measure which may, by indirection or otherwise, be designed to deprive it of its rights under the act. It is not a question of appointments that is involved, but rather the commercial emancipation of Oakland.

Two Sides to a Dicker.

The Alameda *Encinal* thinks that the wooing of Pasadena by Los Angeles, with the view of annexation, and Pasadena's rejection on the ground that "a big nasty man around the house, smoking tobacco and drinking beer," would spoil her enjoyment of her womanly rights, will apply to Oakland. The *Encinal* is a trifle off in its application. Pasadena rejects annexation proposals because she is a prohibition village, and desires to remain such, whereas union with Los Angeles would let in the liquor traffic into her domain. Alameda has rejected Oakland's advances for annexation because her people fear that they will not get as much official pap as they are now getting. There can be no other sound reason for that city's position. There is not very much difference between the two cities now as to taxation, and there are many advantages which Alameda would enjoy which she does not enjoy now, and which she cannot, at the present rate of taxation, afford to pay for, were she annexed to Oakland. If the Oakland water front suit, recently argued before the Supreme Court of the United States, is settled in favor of Oakland on the basis of the act of 1852, there will be some other advantages on the line of the estuary which she will be unable to enjoy without paying tribute to this city, for under that act the low water mark along the south side of the estuary is made the southern line of the property transferred by the State to the town of Oakland in trust for common purposes. If ever Oakland and Alameda are united it will, therefore, be found that the latter will be quite as much a gainer as the former. It may be a mistake to educate Alameda to that view, for some people in this city are slow at learning.

The Drift of Immigration.

Every civilized nation except the United States is engaged in systematically disposing of its surplus population. The same is true, also, of some of the semi-civilized nations of the Orient. Russia gets rid of her surplus by expulsion. Such edicts are usually directed to a race, and the Hebrews have been the chief sufferers. It is a matter of total indifference to Russia whence the evicted go. They may scatter among her neighbors or emigrate across the seas in search of new homes and a country where their presence will be tolerated. Russia takes no interest in their movements once they are outside of her dominions.

Great Britain has provided for her surplus population for generations past through her colonies. She has helped emigrants to reach these colonies and has given them a fair start there to acquire an independent livelihood. In later times France and Italy have gone into the colonization business. Spain and Portugal have been in a state of decadence since they lost their American possessions, and their surplus population must shift for itself. China has been disposing of some of its surplus under the coolie labor system, and the islands of the Pacific and the Pacific shores of the two Americas have received it.

The United States is the only independent nation of any note that has been without a surplus population up to a late date. This country has, to the contrary, been inviting immigrants to its shores and offering inducements to them to settle upon its unoccupied lands. In this matter the Government has been ardently seconded by the subsidized railroad companies. Their agents have been scattered all over Europe drumming up prospective settlers on railroad lands.

As the only country, therefore, that was making special exertions toward acquiring additional population, the United States has been naturally the center of attraction of all other nations. Evictions in Russia have been followed by a large addition to the foreign population of the United States. A steady stream has been flowing for years from the British Isles and Germany and Scandinavia.

There is a limit to all things. The capacity of the United States to absorb the surplus population of other nations is no exception to the rule. The country has for years been approaching that limit. In the judgment of some enlightened publicists we have reached it already. The frequency of labor troubles, the lowering of wages, the overproduction of the fruits of the soil and the mill are accepted as signs of the limits of the country to absorb population.

The results of the investigations of the Immigration Restriction League of Boston offer strong testimony in support of this theory. From 1820 to 1892, inclusive, the league finds that the United States has absorbed 16,497,096 of the surplus population of other nations. That is equivalent to one-fourth the present estimated population of the country. Much of this population may be fairly classed as an unobjectionable acquisition. But of late years the country has suffered from the immigration of a very undesirable class—ignorant, poor and criminal. The census of 1880 showed that although the foreign element in the country constituted one-seventh of the total population it furnished one-third the paupers. The census of 1890 makes a more unwelcome showing. Persons of foreign birth and parentage under that census constitute 38 per cent of the total population—a little over one-third—but it contributes one-half of our criminals—two-thirds of the inmates of our reformatories and about two-thirds of the paupers in the almshouses!

Another unwelcome feature in this immigration of later years is its illiteracy. Of the 440,793 immigrants who came here in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, 57,897 over 16 years of age could not read, 59,582 could not write, and 61,038 could neither read nor write! No wonder that restricted immigration should develop into the living question of the day.

The changes which the Immigration Restriction League recommends in our immigration laws is that every immigrant shall pay a certain sum of money on landing; that he shall pass an educational test; that he shall be provided with a consular certificate at his port of embarkation. If anything, these suggestions do not go far enough. Before the flood from abroad can be stopped, restrictive measures of a much severer order than these will have to be adopted. But we are fast approaching the day when it will have to be stopped in the interest of self-preservation.

THE Lexow Senate Commission gave its services without pay. The Constitution of New York State prohibits a member of the Legislature from receiving compensation for legislative work performed outside of the legislative session. The Lexow Commission spent four months at Albany engaged with other legislators in the transaction of legislative work; for that the members received their per diem. But for the 100 days which they surrendered to the investigation they will receive no compensation. The commission adjourned *sine die* at the close of the year, having reached the end of its legal existence, but the members have expressed the hope that some method will be devised to continue the investigation this year.

Says an Eastern exchange: "It is possible that Count von Bismarck will visit Florida this winter, and already the favored few are anticipating brilliant entertainments in his honor." That information was given out before the frosty weather set in in Florida. After learning of the destruction of the Floridan orange groves by frost, Bismarck may revise his intentions and conclude that Florida's winter is no milder than that of Germany. The old Chancellor ought to come to California if he wants a pleasant semi-tropical climate. We will vouch that the welcome thrown in here will be quite as hearty and possibly heartier than the Everglade State can give him.

The New Owner of the "Call."

For the second time in its history, the San Francisco *Morning Call* has changed ownership. The four men who founded the paper, three of whom are still living, parted with the property in its infancy, at private sale, and one of them has since held a subordinate position on its editorial staff. Yesterday, the paper passed out of the hands of the proprietary of a quarter of a century, by public auction, into the hands of Charles M. Shortridge of San Jose, who bought it for $360,000. Mr. Shortridge has been long known as the proprietor and editor of the San Jose *Mercury*, and as one of the best and most enterprising and energetic newspaper men in the State. So far, he has labored in a restricted field; but he has given the city of San Jose one of the best newspapers printed in the State, outside the metropolis. Mr. Shortridge is young, bright and popular. With such a man at the helm, the *Call* will take on a new lease of life and enter upon a new and vigorous career of enterprise and usefulness.

CAPTAIN WHITELAW, the wrecker, is in hard luck. Three or four years ago he lost the wrecking steamer T. H. Whitelaw off Point Reyes, while engaged in the precarious business of recovering the flotsam and jetsam of the sea from a stranded vessel. He then began the construction at the Alameda Point shipyards of a new wrecking steamer of exceptional strength and power, but "hard times" came when the vessel was half built, and work had to be suspended. The craft has been dryrotting on the stocks ever since. Meantime, Whitelaw converted the old dredger Samson into a wrecking schooner and she has been used effectively at various points on the coast. Latterly, the Samson has been wrecking the standed Mail steamship The City of New York, off Point Bonita, and was anchored there when the December storms set in. She rode out all the gales successfully until yesterday; the wind then was too strong for her and she dragged her anchors, drifted ashore, took fire and has become a total wreck herself. Besides, it is feared that the wreck has been accompanied by loss of life. Captain Whitelaw was at one time regarded as one of the luckiest men on the San Francisco water front. The tide of fortune seems to have turned against him of late years. He is plucky and enterprising and one of the most capable men who ever entered the dangerous business of wrecking and is deserving of success.

THE "General" of the "Industrial Army" is said to have given instructions to the vagabonds who have enlisted under his colors not to accept work offered them for less than $2 per day, and to go to the back door of all houses to solicit alms, and if neither money nor food is given them in response to such solicitation to help themselves to anything they see and can carry off. There are some houses in this city where liberal contributions of buckshot will follow any attempt which may be made to carry out Kelley's instructions.

THE present Council is evidently shaping the affairs of the city so that public improvements shall be a leading issue in the coming municipal campaign. It is a good thing to do. No better issue can be made. No other issue that can be suggested is of such vital interest and importance to the present and future of the city. The Council is entitled to every encouragement in the good work.

THE Board of Education of Mt. Vernon, Ill., has decided that cigarette-smoking boys may not attend public schools. They must give up smoking or be expelled. A rule like that would be a good one to be adopted by every Board of Education in this State. It would soon put an end to the "cigarette habit"—one of the most debasing vices of the times—if enforced.

Life.

Ah, brief is life,
Love's short sweet way,
With dreamings rife,
And then—good day.

And life is vain—
Hope's vague delight,
Grief's transient pain,
And then—good night.
—*The Independent.*

Was Napoleon or Wellington the better fighter? Dr. Price's commands the baking powders.

RANDOM NOTES.

The voting list of the city of Boston contains the names of 11,200 women who registered so as to be able to vote on school questions.

Rural labor is so cheap in some regions East in winter that a farmer with a small crop of grain can have it flailed out cheaper than he can have it thrashed by steam.

Americans are not a stuck-up people, even if they do use 12,000,0000 postage stamps a day.

In Holland railroad managers are held to a strict personal responsibility for the safety of their passengers. As a result railroad accidents are rare and an average of only one death a year results from them.

In Florence, Italy, the Salvation Army has done great work. It has pitched its tents in the Palazzo Rinuccini, famous as the esplanade surrounding the house owned by the Medici. The work of the army has the cordial aid of the municipal authorities.

This is the official mourning dress prescribed at the English court for the late Emperor of Russia: For a fortnight ladies will wear black dresses, white gloves, black or white shoes, feathers and fans, pearls, diamonds or plain gold or silver ornaments; then, for another fortnight, black dresses, with colored ribbons, flowers, feathers and ornaments, or gray or white dresses, with black ribbons, etc. The gentlemen will wear black court dresses, with black swords and buckles through the whole period. The court went out of mourning on December 5th.

The Inspector General of Russian prisons has recently published a report which shows a terrible condition of life on one of the Russian penal islands. During the current year 2000 convicts of both sexes have been transported from European Russia to Saghalien, besides a number of women and children who have voluntarily followed their husbands and fathers into penal banishment. The report calls for immediate action upon the part of the Government.

The total number of students in the seven leading universities are as follows: Harvard, 3293; University of Michigan, 2683; Yale, 2373; University of Pennsylvania, 2348; Columbia, 1816; Cornell, 1777; Princeton, 110.—*Princetonian.*

MIRTHFUL MORSELS.

APPROPRIATE.

Husband—Dr. Foot, the chiropedist, will dine with us today.

Wife—All right; I'll order corned beef.—*Home Journal.*

THE IDEA.

Clara—While I was playing whist with Mrs. Singleton last evening she asked me what was the trump at least six times.

Maude—Weren't you provoked?

Clara—I should say so! As if I knew!—*Puck.*

A SAVING REASON.

"But what earthly use is it to discover the North Pole! I can't see."

"It will save future expeditions."—*Harper's Bazar.*

AN ADVANTAGEOUS VOCATION.

"Why do I follow the vocation of a wandering tramp?" said the peripatetic scarecrow. "I'll tell ye, marm. A tramp don't have to pay no tips to waiters."—*Boston Transcript.*

A VALUABLE RECIPE.

Recipe for making restaurant chicken salad should begin: "First, catch your calf."—*Texas Siftings.*

THE VILLAINS STILL PURSUING HIM.

Conductor (shaking sleepy passenger)—Ticket, please?

Englishman (who had been sixteen hours in this country)—Really, now, you know, I have hardly seen enough of America yet to be able to give my impressions of it, but it strikes me—Oh, I beg your pardon! I thought it was another blawsted reporter.—*Chicago Tribune.*

A CATASTROPHE.

"Mrs. O'Leary, phwat do be the matter wid that goat? Is it diluvian thrimins, it hov?"

"Worse. He hov been atin' so many ballet girruls aff the bill-boards that he caught the skirrut dancin' carze."—*Judge.*

AN IMPUDENT FELLOW.

A girl at Rotterdam near Sheffield, is as mad as a badger because a young puppy has written this in her album of favorite quotations:

Oh, woman in our hours of ease,
Uncertain, coy, and hard to please;
Yet—barring pins—how soft to squeeze!
—*London Telegraph.*

SPOILED BY OVERDOING.

Cholly (on his knees)—Maud, you have intoxicated me with your charms.

Maud—Pshaw! You're no match for me.

Cholly—Why not?

Maud—You get drunk too easily.—*Town Topics.*

PASSING STRANGE.

"I've been pondering over a very singular thing."

"What is it?"

"How putting a ring on a woman's third finger should place you under that woman's thumb."—*Life.*

Columbus never made a greater discovery than the housewives of America discovered in Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

BITS OF GOSSIP.

Congressman Thomas Dunn English, who is popularly known in Washington now, since Du Maurier revived the vogue of his song, as "Ben Bolt," is said to be almost blind. He walks about the halls of Congress with the vague facial expression of a man groping in the dark.

It is related of Alexandre Dumas that he took such interest in his literary creations that he said to his son, who was disturbed by seeing him plunged in melancholy: "Porthos is dead. I have just killed him. And I can't help weeping over him. Poor Porthos!" Quite different were the emotions of Conan Doyle, who having killed poor Sherlock Holmes, went gayly out and celebrated, like a true Englishman, with a big supper.

Mrs. Oliphant never touches a pen in the daytime.

The old Duke of Cambridge, the "soldiers' friend," has now been fifty years in the British Army, and for thirty-five years has served as its commander-in-chief.

At a sale in Paris lately of works by Charles Jacque, the animal painter, "Le Grand Troupeau" brought 30,000 francs; "Troupeau de de Vaches a l'Abreuvoir," 12,000 francs; "Rentree de Troupeau," 13,000 francs; "Sortie du Village," 13,050 francs.

The Empress Frederick is once more residing in her Berlin palace. She has been away nine months while family troubles were being quietly arranged.

Dr. Edward S. Holden of Lick Observatory has been made by Saxe-Meiningen a commander of the Saxe-Ernestine order.

Edison's great grandfather died at 102, his grandfather at 103 and one of his aunts at 108, while his father is alive at 90.

Several reasons have been given for Archbishop Corrigan's lenient treatment of the pugnacious Father Ducey, and the most plausible one is that Father Ducey practically owns his church, St. Leo's, which is one of the most fashionable in the city and was built through the efforts of the priest. In fact, Father Ducey, who was once very wealthy, put most of the money into this church and now holds a mortgage, which practically controls it. As one of the members says: "I believe that if the Archbishop should take summary measures with Father Ducey the latter could go out of the church and take St. Leo with him."

Among the letters written by Dr. Holmes was one to Charles Follen Adams, acknowledging the receipt of his dialect poem, "Dot Long Handled Dipper," in which the genial autocrat said: "I thank you for the fresh draught from this long-handled tin dipper, which you have made a rival to the 'Old Oaken Bucket.' Some of my best drinks when I was a boy of 15 at Andover were from a cocoanut dipper, but that was not destined to immortality, like the more fortunate receptacles. I have always had a great liking for Yawcob and his young hopeful, and I hope they will long continue to make the world happier by their domestic history and family portraits."

The Pope recently gave orders for the construction of his tomb. Professor Lucchetti is to attend to the architectural part, and Eugenio Maccagni will be the sculptor. The tomb will be in the basilica, Santa Maria Maggiore. Pius VI was the last Pope buried there.

Queen Victoria has never entered a shop since the death of the Prince Consort.

I Wonder.

I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year,
Will it be midnight or morning,
And who will bend over my bier?

What a hideous fancy to come,
As I wait at the foot of the stair,
While Eleanor gives the last touch
To her robes, or the rose in her hair!

"Do I like your new dress, pompadour?
And do I like you?"—on my life,
You are eighteen, and not a day more,
And haven't been six years my wife!

Those two rosy boys upstairs,
In the crib, are not ours! To be sure,
You're just a sweet bride in her bloom,
All sunshine and snowy and pure!

As the carriages roll down the dark street,
The little wife laughs and makes cheer;
But—I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year!
—*Thomas Bailey Aldrich.*

MARVELOUS EXPANSION.

An Amusing Experience in a Street Car.

New York Herald.

When I entered a Madison avenue car the other day I found the seats entirely occupied and had to content myself with the support of a strap and the hope that one of the other twenty-two passengers would soon alight. As I stood head and shoulders above the others and took a census of the passengers, I found that there were ten women on one side and ten women and two men on the other side.

One of the men I recognized, for we had been friends of long standing. I knew that his home was near and patiently waited for his departure. When Eightieth street was reached he rose from his seat, and—I didn't sit down, for the ladies shook out their sleeves, separated a little and eleven persons filled the space that had been occupied by twelve.

I changed my clinging hand from the right to the left and settled into the conviction that I must stand until I reached my destination at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Then my sunken hopes were revived by the lady next to the man signaling the conductor to stop. She left the car, but no room for me, for the nine ladies again stirred, shook another reel from their sleeves, and the seat was entirely filled. I clung to the strap with both hands.

When we reached One Hundred and Twentieth street the one other man rose to go and, without looking behind, I followed him, to walk the remainder of the distance, for I did not want to be a witness to the result of the effort of the nine women to further expand.

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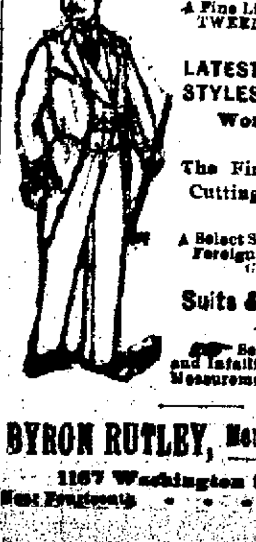

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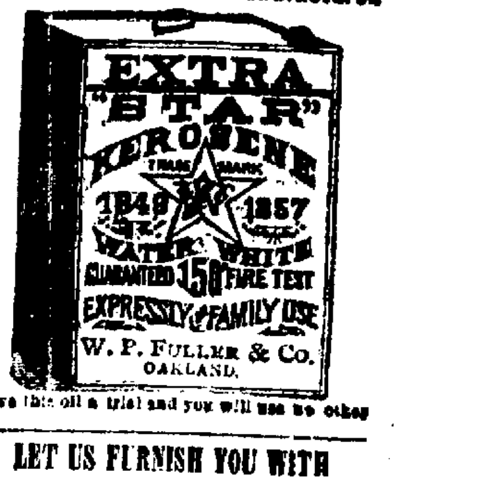

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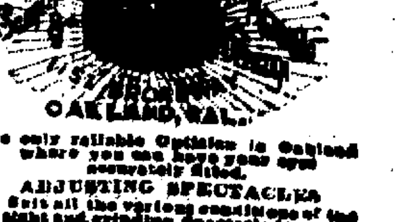

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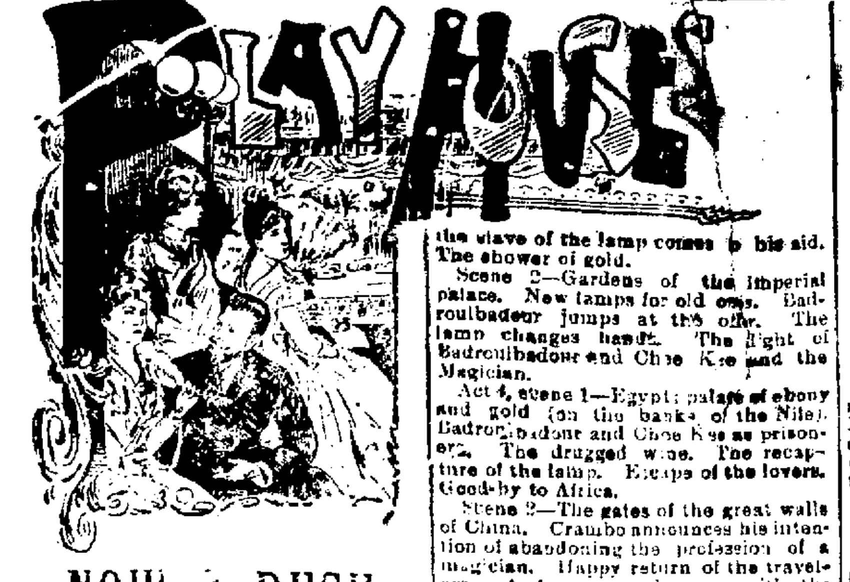

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Act 1—Grand square showing the exterior of the royal baths at Pekin. The morn of the Feast of Lanterns. Aladdin turns up like a bad penny. A lesson in jollying, Chow Chow threatens the Widow, but Aladdin goes him several better. Abanazar, the wizard, enters. He claims close relationship and proposes to enrich the Bohea family on conditions that are mistrusted. General exit to talk matters over at the wizard's expense. Crambo and the cat arrive. The experience of an apprentice to the black art. Abanazar declines to listen to complaints, and Aladdin's

Henry Norman.

co-operation is besought but refused. Entrance of Princess Badroulbadour en route to the royal baths. Love at first sight.

Act 2, scene 1—Exterior of the mystic cave, moonlight; midnight picnic of the day of the feast of lanterns. The return to Pekin. The storm. The arrival of the wizard and Aladdin, and the descent of the latter into the cave of the lamp.

Scene 2—Interior of the mystic cave; Aladdin desirous of breaking out. The wizard's warning. The lamp is secured, but too late. Midnight sounds, and the cave closes for a hundred years. Appearance of the slave of the ring, who places himself at Aladdin's orders.

Scene 3—Bubble cascade in the golden glen and resort of silver storks. Grand amber ballet and celestial festival by the entire corps de ballet of the American Extravaganza Company, led by Mlle. Catherine Bartho of the Imperial Theater, Moscow (first appearance), and Frl. Martha Irmler, late of the King's Theater, Dresden, Saxony.

Act 3, scene 1—The interior of Widow Bohea's laundry. Aladdin returns in time to show his proposed stepfather the door. Entrance of the Emperor and retinue. The Emperor tests Aladdin's power; failure. The ring refuses to work. About to be condemned, when the slave of the lamp comes to his aid. The shower of gold.

Scene 2—Gardens of the imperial palace. New lamps for old ones. Badroulbadour jumps at the offer. The lamp changes hands. The flight of Badroulbadour and Chee Kee and the Magician.

Act 4, scene 1—Egypt; palace of ebony and gold (on the banks of the Nile). Badroulbadour and Chee Kee as prisoners. The drugged wine. The recapture of the lamp. Escape of the lovers. Good-by to Africa.

Scene 2—The gates of the great walls of China. Crambo announces his intention of abandoning the profession of a magician. Happy return of the travelers. A truce agreed upon, with the terms left to the audience. Finale.

Scene 3—Grand transformation scene, "The origin of the harp."

The sale of seats is very large, yet there are good seats to be had. The general admission for the Tuesday matinee will be 50 cents.

Coming Events.

On Friday and Saturday nights of next week the original and only Haverly's Minstrels will come to the Macdonough. The name of Haverly, will, no doubt, crowd the Macdonough for two nights. This will be the first minstrel company in Oakland for a year and the only one this season. Haverly has a splendid company and a number of novelties will be introduced. The advance sale of seats begins next Wednesday at 9 a. m. Popular prices will prevail.

The charming comedienne, Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman and an excellent company, will come to the Macdonough on the 14th inst., for three nights in the highly successful comedy, *The Passport*. Crowded houses have greeted Miss Martinot at the California, San Francisco, and her play has been received with shrieks of laughter. It is considered the cleverest comedy seen in years. Sale of seats begins next Thursday at 9 a. m. Popular prices.

The People's.

Marie Heath and her clever company have done a big business this week at the People's Theater. *A Turkish Bath* is so full of fun that the audiences are kept constantly in a roar of laughter. It is clean, wholesome fun, too, and herein is the charm of the comedy. "Little Dot," the interesting youngster, is a creation of the stage which only Miss Heath can sustain. She is inimitable in the character. Her company is composed of unusually bright people. As Robin McGoogie, the policeman, Frank Murphy is a gem of farce comedy. He is intensely funny without being a caricature. The songs and dances are all new and the performance goes throughout with a dash and action, which keeps the audience in the best of humor.

The charming story of a waif rescued from shipwreck, but separated from her parents, who are also for a time lost to each other, is the foundation of the plot of *Spray*, which will be presented at the People's Theater next week. A strong stock company, selected especially for the production of this beautiful comedy-drama, will hold the boards for a time. The play has had a successful run in a number of the large Eastern cities and promises to prove as interesting here. A pretty love story runs through the piece, and the climax, where husband and wife are reunited with their lost "Spray," is especially good. The comedy is furnished by the homely characters taken from the fisher men's cottages along the coast.

The Oriental.

The Operator has scored a success at the Oriental Theater. Mr. Willard Newell, as "Silas Jackson, the ex-convict," has the larger part to carry, which is done in a very forcible and artistic manner, while Mr. William Newell, as "George Darrington, the telegraph operator," is fully up to the standard.

The Newell Brothers have been re-engaged for another week and will produce *The Corsican Brothers*. Owing to the elaborate preparations necessary for the proper presentation of Alexander Dumas' great play, the theater will be closed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Thursday evening, *The Operator* will be repeated for the benefit of the funds of the Native Sons of the Golden West.

The Baldwin.

It is so long since the people in this vicinity have had a season of opera that they will hear with pleasure the announcement of the opening of the engagement, at the Baldwin Theater, next Monday night, of the Tavary Grand English Opera Co. This organization comprises a magnificent array of talent and is well supplied in every manner—stage effects, chorus, costumes and principals—to give a most satisfactory rendition of all the great operas.

The opening selection will be *Rigoletto*; Tuesday, *Trovatore*; Wednesday matinee, *Bohemian Girl*; Thursday, *Carmen*; Friday, *Faust*; Saturday matinee, *Martha*, and Saturday evening, *Tannhauser*.

The Californian.

Next Monday evening Lottie Collins, who set the world singing "Ta-ra-ra," appears in a congenial character in *The Devil Bird*. This is an operetta, which contains some of the most catching airs ever heard upon the coast. The play is admirably adapted to bring out the varied talents of this sprightly actress, as also those of her capable company. Miss Collins is well known in this city and along the coast, and will undoubtedly attract large audiences through the week.

The Orpheum.

At the Orpheum, next week, there will be another grand bill, which will surely pack the house, as have all the attractions at this resort for many months past. Among the performers will be a great list of new people, among them being Bunch, Rudd and Flakey, continental eccentrics; Josef Loiset, with his flock of trained storks; Claire de Lunes, the famous eccentrique; Bogert and O'Brien, the great musical comedy duo; F. J. Godfrey, the aerial balancer and acrobat; Lydia Yeamans Titus, Fred J. Titus and a host of others.

The Tivoli.

The great success, *Lalla Rookh*, will be continued at the Tivoli all next week. It has proved a remarkable drawing card. It is most richly staged and costumed, and nightly evokes thunders of applause.

Morosco's.

Next Monday night, the entertaining play, *Whip-poor-will*, will be produced at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It will be continued throughout the week.

Stockwell's.

The attraction at Stockwell's Theater next week will be the same as has been holding the boards this week, namely, *The Wolves of New York*.

The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater next week Marie Heath, who has been doing a good business at the People's this week, will appear in *A Turkish Bath*.

Havens Won His Case.

J. M. Havens appeared as his own attorney in Justice Shaw's court yesterday. He had been sued for $18 on account of repairs made to a bicycle which he had rented from the Overman Wheel Company, Mr. Havens raised the point that the company had repaired its own wheel and he won the case.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Juliet Garber presided at a charming luncheon at her father's residence in Claremont last Wednesday.

Miss Amy Renna gave a game party at her home in Piedmont Christmas eve.

Mrs. Dr. Wilson Stockham of Napa is visiting in Oakland.

Mrs. Sophia Carlton of Berkeley is quite recovered of her recent serious illness.

Hon. N. L. F. Bachman of Fresno is the guest of Dr. Theo. Olmsted of this city.

Colonel G. C. Edwards and family are at Santa Cruz.

Rev. E. S. Chapman and wife are at Los Angeles.

James Nash of West Oakland leaves for Sacramento tonight.

J. S. Lantan of Alameda is sojourning at Paso Robles.

T. J. ROBERTS' DEMAND.

He Applied for the Arrest of C. P. Huntington.

Thomas J. Roberts, president of the local lodge of the American Railway Union, applied to the United States District Attorney yesterday afternoon for a warrant for the arrest of C. P. Huntington. Roberts says that according to the testimony of Frank M. Stone, Mr. Huntington violated the Interstate Commerce law in giving Stone passes on the railroad. The application of Roberts for a warrant was denied.

HE WAS ANNOYING.

Jacob Ambacher Caused His Neighbors Trouble.

Jacob Ambacher was declared insane this morning and was committed to the Ukiah Insane Asylum. He has fits occasionally and when these come on his neighbors at Lorin have to turn out and hold him down by force. They have become weary of being called upon for assistance.

Garthwaite's Move.

H. P. Garthwaite will make it rather unpleasant for Receiver Bishop of the Piedmont Company. He has filed his papers citing the receiver to appear in court and show cause why he (Garthwaite), as a stockholder, should not be allowed to examine the books of the corporation.

Dalton Resigns.

Assessor-elect Dalton has resigned from the Council. Mayor Pardee has not as yet appointed a successor. Of the many candidates in the field D. S. Moulton has the call so far as is known.

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The surprisingly small number of whist clubs that have budded and bloomed this winter is accounted for by the quantities of French classes that have come up like mushrooms. To be sure there are some German classes, but the majority are seeking, somewhat diligently, to master the mysteries of the words that fall so easily from Parisian lips. In short French classes are the fad in Oakland, and if you do not belong to one you are not really in the vortex of the social whirl. It is proper to do just this little bit of studying this winter, though there is no present danger of the society girl being obliged to resort to spectacles. They are not studying that wey.

The main object of the French classes is to enable the members to meet socially once a week. It is a good excuse, and even the most eager votaries confess that they are only dallying with pronouns and adverbs. But in spite of the *dilettanteism* some of them are learning to speak French quite well and with a good approach to the Parisian accent, too.

Of course they are not learning by the old classical method, with grammar and dictionary. They have a sort of Delsarte system, and learn the language by ear instead of by note, as it were. The new method teaches through the ear—the old one taught through the eye.

This year, society's dollars are going into the pockets of Mademoiselle Hitchcock and Madam Lebre, instead of into the purse of Kate Wheelock, the whist queen, who deigned to shine on us last winter.

It is Professor Couin's method that is all the rage, and everywhere you go in Oakland drawing-rooms, you hear echoes of his name.

These are some of the classes in Oakland: Mrs. Buckley, Mrs. Wheaton's sister, has one at her house. There are fifteen members, all ladies, among them being Mrs. Joan Russ and Miss Lou Bervais. In the class that meets at Mrs. Dunham's house—Mary Dunham, Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Silas Palmer are prominent members. There is a Wednesday morning class that meets weekly in the big billiard room at the home of Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtiss on Eighteenth street, East Oakland. Not long ago there were twenty-two members, but half a dozen dropped out during the holidays, leaving it, however, the biggest class in the city. The membership includes Mrs. Glascock, Mrs. Curtiss, Mrs. Dr. Sweeny, Mrs. Dr. Renz, Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Miss Elizabeth Meehan, Mrs. Scnnitz, Mrs. Gillette, Mrs. Caskie, Mrs. Robert Leckie, Mrs. Judge Nusbaumer and Miss Carmany.

These are all daytime classes and only ladies belong. Mrs. Pope of Highland Park has an evening class that has male members, and Mrs. Robert Knight has an evening class in her esthetic home to which a number of men belong. The members of Mrs. Knight's class are Mr. and Mrs. Knight, the Clifts Karl Abbott, Mr. English, May Burnham, Josephine Chabot and some more of the neighbors. It is a very jolly class and they have some lively times. Sometimes the pupils make comical mistakes, as was the case when one of the young ladies got the French words for couch and cochon mixed up, with the most disastrous consequences to herself.

Before the end of winter French will probably be used altogether in common discourse instead of English, though occasionally it is so convenient to have an English word to help out.

ALL IN LINE.

Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

July 1st—Antona Charles Anderson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Madge Hutchison, a resident of San Francisco, aged 2[illegible] years; by Rev. James H. Warren.

July 22d—Sanford Oakes Springer, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years, and Delia Thompson, a resident of Berkeley, aged 18 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

July 23d—John Veirra Canera, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Marie Louisa Vierra, a resident of East Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

August 5th—Cornelius Kelleher, a resident of Oakland, aged 39 years, and Katie Griffin, a resident of Berkeley, aged 28 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

December 3d—Francis Jose Mathews, a resident of Oakland, aged 36 years, and Marie Freitas, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Father E. F. Fernandes.

December 18th—John Carlson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Sophie Eugenia Johnson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years; by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 19th—Frank William Bilger, a resident of San Leandro, aged 2[illegible] years, and Carrie F. Siebe, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. A. Jatho.

December 19th—Frank Germ Yanney, a resident of Oakland, aged 27 years, and Maude Edna Purdy, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years; by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 20th—John Hildreth Crow, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Margaret Bandholdt, a resident of Oakland, aged 24 years; by Rev. J. H. Theiss.

December 24th—John Alfred Clyde, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years, and Emma Larsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 24th—John Edward Hosson, a resident of St. Helena, aged 35 years, and Hulda Auguste Olsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 26 years; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 25th—George Nicholas Wegener, a resident of Livermore, aged 24 years, and Lottie Jane Famarion, a resident of Livermore, aged 19 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

December 26th—George David James, a resident of San Francisco, aged 42 years and Laura Augusta Dingley, a resident of West Berkeley, aged 28 years; by Rev. G. H. Jones.

December 27th—John Taveira, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Julia Hertie, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years; by Rev. James Curry.

December 31st—Charles William Remington, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years, and Irene Wheeler, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years; by Rev. Edwin Sidney Williams.

January 1st—[illegible] Montgomery, a resident of Livermore, aged 26 years, and Florence [illegible], a resident of Livermore, aged 18 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

January 1st—Alfred Bolognesi, a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years, and Carolina Verdi, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years; by Edward H. Shaw, Justice of the Peace.

January 1st—Michael Worden, a resident of San Francisco, aged 23 years, and Mary Galindo, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years; by Rev. James Curry.

January 2d—Carl L. N. Le N. de Bretteville, a resident of Oakland, aged 25 years, and Nanny Meyer, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Frank Hugh Foster.

January 2d—Hiram Fayette Bishop, a resident of Oakland, aged 37 years, and Barbara McKenzie, a resident of Oakland, aged 29 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—Harry Du Combe Cook, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years, and Carrie Lauretta Cook, a resident of Golden Gate, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—George Porter Lowell, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years, and Lily May Wade, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. B. S. Palmer.

January 2d—Walter Huffman Weisheimer, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25 years, and Frances Edith Hornbeck, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 3d—Valdermero Cavallo, a resident of San Francisco, aged 27 years, and Sarah Hadden Kenna, a resident of North Oakland, aged 22 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

January 3d—Henry Louis Meyers, a resident of San Francisco, aged 38 years, and Nellie Gribben, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21 years; by Edward H. Shaw, J. P.

January 3d—Elmer Ellsworth Evans, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Sarah Janie Robertson, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

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THE TOP NOTCH.

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A Los Angeles Man Tells the Chicagoans Abon Them.

"We have some big things in California," said L. Germain of Los Angeles in Chicago the other day. "Of course, you have heard of the big grapevine at Santa Barbara, which covers three acres. Then there is the monster rosebush at Santa Rosa. It grew to an enormous height and completely covered the house where it grew. During my lifetime here in California I have handled squashes running all the way from 150 to 300 pounds each. Watermelons I have seen weighing from thirty-five to 100 pounds. Beets are frequently known on this coast weighing all the way from forty to seventy-five pounds. I remember one beet raised at San Rafael which weighed about eighty pounds. Last fall I saw three onions the aggregate weight of which was nearly five pounds. In the Pomona valley I have known of onions weighing from one and three-quarters to two and one-half pounds. Tomato vines frequently grow ten or twelve feet across, and I have often seen radishes that looked like big turnips.

"I have seen specimens of the Humboldt county potato which weighed from two to three pounds. It is not at all unusual to see cabbages weighing from thirty-five to seventy-five pounds. Some years ago a Mr. Fox, who lived down in the Santa Cruz mountains, raised a carrot of the white Belgian variety, which weighed about twenty-eight pounds. It was the largest carrot on record. The largest pears that come to the San Francisco market are what they call pound pears, but I have seen them weighing two and a half pounds."

At Kesley's orchard, near Santa Barbara, is a remarkable plum tree, known as the Japan plum, which was planted in 1876. The fruit is heart shaped and of a rich yellow color. The plums are frequently from eight to ten inches in circumference. In Los Angeles H. L. Barker displays a rosebud which has reached the height of sixteen feet. Grafted upon its branches are twelve varieties of roses. The parent stalk is twelve years of age. The stalk a few inches above the ground is five inches in circumference. S. H. Shaw of Ontario recently discovered an apple blossom on one of the trees in his orchard which resembles a large sized rose, measures nine and one-half inches in circumference and is what may be called a second crop blossom. An ordinary apple blossom contains five petals, while this one has thirty or forty.

The big grapevine at Montecito, near Santa Barbara, is famous. The vine was planted about forty years ago. The grapes are of the Mission variety. The parent stalk is forty-six inches in circumference one foot from the ground. Where it commences to branch, three feet from the ground, its circumference is sixty-three inches. The vine yielded four and a half tons of grapes in a single season. The vine covers an area of 100x90 feet.

At the rooms of the State Board of Trade in San Francisco some remarkable products of California soil are on exhibition. Last year, when the season was well advanced, pumpkins weighing 267 pounds were upon exhibition there. There were also cabbages weighing ninety-five pounds, onions that tipped the scales at five pounds, and a huge sweet potato, raised near Santa Ana, that weighed twenty-five pounds. Apples weighing twenty ounces are frequently on exhibition, and a five-gallon glass jar, contains eight pairs, the weight of which is thirty-three and a third pounds. These eight pairs completely fill the jar. Florists say they have seen lilies in California fourteen feet high, while geraniums that look like trees are common.

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FIELD SEMINARY CLOSES.

The Well Known Institution Wound Up.

Field Seminary at 1825 Telegraph avenue, which for a number of years has been considered among the well known educational institutions which have earned for Oakland the distinction of the "Athens of the Pacific," has closed its doors. The boarding scholars have returned to their several homes throughout the State, and the city students have sought admission to the High school.

The completion of home schools and Eastern academies has had an injurious effect upon the seminary for a long time, and finally it was decided to discontinue the classes rather than become financially involved.

Field Seminary will be long pleasantly remembered by the people of this city and by many lady graduates whom it prepared to preside over happy homes, and to distinguish themselves in the arts and sciences, not alone in this State, but throughout the country.

OLD ENGLISH TEA PARTY.

The old English tea party given by Golden Gate Albion Lodge, Sons of St. George, at Grand Army Hall, last Wednesday evening, proved a great success. About 300 members and their friends participated. The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and evergreens. Tables reaching the length of the hall were heavily laden with the good things to eat and drink, which constitute the regular English tea. After all had done ample justice to the bill of fare an excellent programme of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc., was carried out as follows:

Part song, "May Day," Miss Annie Pollitt, Miss L. Robinson, Brothers Oakes and Trow; recitation, Miss Partridge; song, "Far Away," Mrs. T. Hall; song, "Tar's Farewell," G. Ebbeson; duet, "Excelsior," W. J. Oakes and C. Trow; recitation, Miss Gladys Jackson; song, "If the Waters Could Speak as They Flow," Mrs. Martin; piano duet, Miss McCannon and Miss Aden; song, R. M. Howden; part song, "All Among the Barley," glee party; recitation in broken German, Mr. Stout; exhibition dance, Miss Taylor.

The whole affair was presided over by William Sheff, president of Albion Lodge, who was ably supported by Professor Pollitt and Mrs. Smithers.

After the programme was ended a social dance was indulged in.

The committee on arrangements and reception were as follows: William Sheff, James Hall, J. Lancaster and N. W. Leach.

THE BICYCLE TOURNAMENT.

A Big Meet to Be Held at the Pavilion Next Month.

Preliminary arrangements for the monster bicycle tournament to be held at the Mechanics' Pavilion, San Francisco, next month, are well under way. R. A. Irving, manager of the Tournament Association, is hard at work superintending the plans for suitably clearing the pavilion. A track, eight laps to the mile, will be built of tongue and groove lumber, under the personal supervision of Mr. Ewell, who arranged the ring at the horse show and constructed the Bay City cycling track at Central Park, San Francisco.

The show will be run on the lines of the tournament to be held at Chicago, commencing on the 7th inst.

Free space will be given all makers who wish to exhibit their wheels, and from the present prospect it is a certainty that the display will include the latest and most important inventions in the cycling world. The tournament will open on February 13th and close on the 23d. The main event will be the meet, which is to take place on Washington's birthday. Negotiations are now pending to secure the great world beater, A. A. Zimmerman. As yet, nothing definite has been accomplished in the matter, but it is almost a certainty that the champion will appear at the show.

A silver cup, valued at $200, will be given to the club making the best appearance.

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NAME. RESIDENCE.	AGE
Sylvester Ambi Ambrosew?, Oakland	34
Mrs. Emma Gertrude Brooks, Oakland	32
Elmer Ellsworth Evans, San Francisco	30
Sarah Jane Robertson, Oakland	28
Vadinira Cavalho, San Francisco	27
Sarah Hadden Kenna, North Oakland	22

Thanks Returned.

The Ladies' Relief Society have thankfully received the following donations during the past month, and they are hereby gratefully acknowledged:

From the Schrieber Furniture Co., three rugs. Infant class of First Congregational Church Sunday School, large basket of toys and books. Mr. Bartholomew, one comforter, five yards gingham. St. Agnes Guild, Trinity Church, seven pair drawers, twelve infants' wrappers. King's Daughters First Presbyterian Church, three aprons. First Presbyterian Sunday School, large package of books, large basket of toys, two pairs new shoes, two pairs slippers, one rubber coat, three woolen shirts. Sub ette Circle, ten little quilts. Miss Brigham, four aprons. Mrs. Kelley, one crib. Schrieber Furniture Co., four small rocking chairs.

JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Cor. Secretary L. R. S. of O.

The Week's Failures.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports nineteen failures in the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the week ending yesterday, as compared with sixteen for the corresponding week of 1894. The failures for the past week are divided among the trades as follows: Three boots and shoes, three general stores, two confectionery, two grocers, two clothing, one tailor, one hats and caps, one livery, one commission produce, one restaurant, one butcher and one wood and coal.

Alameda's Boulevard.

Alameda is taking a great deal of interest in the establishment of a boulevard, and the prospects are that, before long, it will have a driveway which will advertise that city all over the coast. A number of the property owners have tendered deeds for stretches of land to aid in the undertaking. The width of the improvement will be 100 feet and it is proposed to extend it from the intersection of Grant avenue and Clement street to Webster street.

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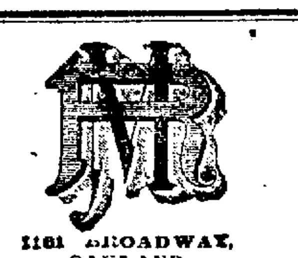

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WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 85@86¼c; choice to fancy, 87½c, good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No. 1 97½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10; Surprise, $1 05@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 15@1 20; Gray, 97½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 16.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 78½@81¼c; No 1 Feed, 82½c; extra choice, 85¼c; Brewing, 90@95c.

CORN—small yellow, ctl, $1 20@1 25; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 12½@1 25.

RYE—92½@95c ℔ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $11@12 ℔ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ℔ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50; extra choice, $18@19.

BUCKWHEAT 90@$1 ℔ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$17@17 50 ℔ ton.

HOPS—6@8c ℔ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 00@2 10; Small White, $2 10@2 20; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 @2 20; Butter, $1 75@1 90; Lima, $3 10@3 25; Red, $1 65@1 80; Pink, $1 30@1 35; Bayou, $1 75 @1 90; Black-eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $2 75@3 ℔ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ℔ ctl, $2 40@2 45; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 3@3½c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3½@4c; Flax, 3@3½c; Rape, 1¾@2¼c; Timothy, 5@5½c; Alfalfa, 5@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY — Wheat, $9@12; Clover, $8@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 50@10; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $8@10; Barley, $6 50@9; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@75c ℔ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables

FRUITS — Bananas, bch, $1 25@2; Apples bx, ordinary, 75c@$1 25; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears box, common, 40@75c; Mexican Limes, $4@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3; fancy $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $3 50@4 00; Pineapples, dozen, $4@5; common $1@2; Persimmons, box, 25@50c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 00@2 50; Seedlings, $1@1 50; Lady Apples $1 25@1 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 70@80c; Garlic, lb, 2@3½c; Cabbage, ctl, 50@70c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@70c; Parsnips, sk, $1 00@1 25; Turnips, 65c@85c; Carrots, 35@50c; Tomatoes, bx, $1@1 10; Celery, doz 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 50@75c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@8c; String Beans 8@10c; Mushrooms, 5@15c; Rhubarb, bx, 5@7c.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 25@35c; River Reds, 30@35c; Burbanks, River, 30c@45c; Oregon, 50@75c; Salinas, 75c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@85c; New Potatoes, lb, 1½c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 50@65c ℔ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ℔ lb, sun dried, 4½ @5½c; evaporated, 5½@7½; Apricots, bleached, 8@7½c; Moorpark, 8@8½c; sun dried, 5½@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 6@8½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5@6½c; Plums pitted, 4@5c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ℔ lb 80 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80, 4½c; 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c; boxes, 5@5½c; ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced, 3@5c; quartered, 4@6c; Figs, Smyrna, ℔ lb, 10@13c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@2½c ℔ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ℔ lb, 23@25c; fancy dairy, 18@20c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 30@37c; store, 27@30c; Eastern, 23@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ℔ lb, 8@9c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@9c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@13c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $4 00@4 50; young, $5 00@6 00; fryers, $5@5 50; broilers, large, $4@5; small, $3 50@4 50; Hens, doz, $4 50@5 50; Ducks, old, $5@6 00; young, $5 00@6 00; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@11c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 12@14c; Geese, pair, $1 50@2; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1 25@1 50 ℔ doz; Ducks—Teal $1@1 25; Mallard, $3; Canvasback, $4@6; Sprig, $2; Widgeon, $1 25@1 50; small ducks, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50@3; White $1 00@1 25; Hare, $1; Rabbits $1 25 @1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2@2 50.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5@5½c; second quality, 4@4½c; third do, 3@3½c ℔ lb.

VEAL—Large, 6c, small, 7@8c ℔ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5@6c; Ewes, 4½@5c ℔ lb.

LAMB—6@7c; Spring Lamb, 15c ℔ lb.

PORK — Live hogs, 5¼c for heavy and medium grain-fed, and 4@4½c ℔ lb for small fat; dressed do, 5½@6¼c, ℔ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

Produce and Poultry.

Eggs, California, ℔ doz	$ 35	@	40
Butter, choice, ℔ roll	45	@	50
Turkeys, ℔ lb	13	@	14
Chickens, Broilers, apiece	35	@	40
Chickens, hens, apiece	35	@	50
Chickens, Roosters, apiece	60	@	75
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit.

Potatoes ℔ lb	½	@	1
Summer Squash, ℔ lb	3	@	4
Green Apples, ℔ basket	50	@	75
Grapes, ℔ box	75	@	1 00

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, January 5th.

Charles Henderson to Erwin J. Crane, lot on west line of Jackson street, 1572 feet north from Twelfth street or Central avenue, north 100 by west 172, Oakland; $10.

L. E. Hensler to Julius Heyman and Abraham Mayer, lot 17, block 1, Golden Gate tract, subject to a mortgage for $250, Oakland township; $10.

Soren and Elsie M. Anderson to Hans H. Olsen, 22 acres, beginning at a point in center of road from Haywards through Cull canyon at southwest corner 223.12-acre tract of N. P. Jessen, thence northwest 1.00 chains, northwest 2.71 chains, northeast 1.00 chains, northwest 2.17 chains, northwest 5.80 chains northeast 3.79 chains, northeast .76 chains, northwest 1.35 chains, southeast 11.30 chains, southeast 12.50 chains, southwest 16.50 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

J. G. and Katie McCall, Hugh Wilson, John White, and W. E. Hall, assignee of J. G. McCall, insolvent debtor, by Sheriff to W. H. and A. W. Foster, executors of the estate of Alexander Montgomery, deceased, 11.06 acres, beginning at a point in south line of Mattox road, 22.68 chains east from northwest corner of Laurel Farm tract, said portion being at the intersection of the center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9.62 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip 20 feet wide along the west boundary above described; also 11.34 acres, beginning at a point in center of Strobridge avenue, southeast 9.62 chains from intersection of center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9.85 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip of land 20 feet wide along the west and south boundaries of last above described tract, being lots 20 and 21, Laurel Farm, near Haywards, Eden township; $3990.

Alexander and Louise Campbell to O. K. Cleaveland, lot on south line of West Twelfth street, 104 feet west from Kirkham, west 40 by south 110, being portion of lot 26, Center-Street Home lots at Oakland Point, Oakland; $10.

James and Susanna Kenney to A. J. Samuel, lot on north line of Twelfth street, 38 feet east from Adeline, east 37 by north 95, Oakland, quitclaim deed; $112.

W. N. and Julia Winter and J. W. Arthur to John W. Butler, fractional part of block 25, bounded northeast by Jackson or East Eleventh street, southeast by Alameda street or Second avenue, southwest by Franklin street or East Tenth street, west by San Antonio creek and northwest by Bridge street or First avenue, East Oakland; $5.

James Stanley, administrator of the estate of Alfred Frost, to J. K. Orelup, lot on west line of Shattuck avenue, 210 feet south from Vine street, south 50 by west 135, Berkeley; $1260.

William T. and Emily Halliday to Lippman Sachs, lot 8, block 3, Fanny Davenport tract subdivision of lot 6, Yoakum tract, Brooklyn township, warranty deed; $10.

Ambrosa Megahan to Christiana W. Megahan, 21.78 acres, commencing at a post standing at the northeast corner of the lands of George W. Kraft, thence southeast 19.16 chains to a stake set in the center of the Arroyo de los Alisos, thence northwest 1 chain, southwest 7.72 chains, northwest 29.78 chains, northeast 15.04 chains to beginning, Washington township; gift.

ASKS FOR HER SHARE.

Miss Eda Collins Wants a House and Lot.

Miss Eda J. Collins today applied to the Superior Court for a partial distribution of the estate of her late mother, Catherine M. Collins. The latter left an estate valued at $88,340. The young lady says that under her mother's will she was bequeathed the house and lot on the southeast corner of Orchard and Webster streets. She now wants this property turned over to her at once.

Gold Bars on the Street.

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transshipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1072 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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LEAVE.	FROM SEPT. 17, 1894.	ARRIVE.
7:30 A	Atlantic Express for Ogden and East	6:10 A
7:30 A	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis	6:45 P
7:30 A	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:30 P
9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff	3:45 P
9:30 A	New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	5:10 P
9:30 A	Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	10:10 A
9:30A	Martinez and Stockton	10:10 A
*9:30 A	Peters and Milton	*6:52 P
12:55 P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:15 A
4:38 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	8:50 A
4:32 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:30 A
4:38 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno	6:52 P
5:33 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East	9:30 A
§7:30 P	Vallejo	§7:20 P
7:30 P	Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:20 A

NARROW GAUGE, 14th & FRANKLIN STS.

8:15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Gilroy, Tres Pinos, Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations	5:44 P.
*2:15 P.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:14 A
4:15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:44 A.
§11:45 P.	Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations.	§7:50 P.

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To OAKLAND AND ALAMEDA, FROM SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*6:15, *6:45, *7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15, 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:45, 11:45 p. m.

From FOURTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS OAKLAND, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:45, *6:15, *6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15, 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:45, 11:45 p. m.

From HIGH STREET, ALAMEDA, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:32, *6:02, *6:32, 7:02, 7:32, 8:02, 8:32, 9:02, 10:02, 10:32, 11:02, 11:32 a. m. 12:02, 12:32, 1:02, 1:32, 2:02, 2:32, 3:02, 3:32, 4:02, 4:32, 5:02, 5:32, 6:02, 6:32, 7:17, 8:17, 9:17, 10:32, 11:32 p. m.

CREEK ROUTE FERRY.

From OAKLAND, Foot of BROADWAY—*6:00, *7:00, 8:00, *9:00, 10:00 and *11:00 a. m. 12:00 *12:30, 2:00, *3:00, 4:00 and *5:00 p. m.

From SAN FRANCISCO, Foot of MARKET St. (SLIP 8)—*7:00, *8:00, 9:00, *10:00 and 11:00 a. m. *12:30, 1:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00 and 6:00 p. m.

*Sundays excepted. ‡Sundays only.

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FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

Standard Building and Loan Association.

OFFICERS—D. Edward Collins, President; Albert Brown, Vice-President; Herbert F. Kellogg, Secretary; Union National Bank, Treasurer; Cary Howard, Attorney.

DIRECTORS—D. Edward Collins, E. A. Heron, George Barbeck, W. V. Childs, Albert Brown, C. W. Kellogg, E. H. Morgan, W. J. Reed, C. K. Beker.

OFFICE

460 Ninth St., OAKLAND, CAL.

ASSETS.

Loans	$36,200 00	
Real Estate	3,705 18	
Stock loans	200 00	
Office furniture	604 88	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	541 60	
		$41,804 31

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all Series	$28,239 00	
Net profit to all stock	6,205 08	
Paid up stock	5,600 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry other liabilities	768 23	
		$41,801 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

FIRST SERIES—Paid in per Share	$ 48 00	
Earned	12 52	
		$ 60 52
EIGHTH SERIES—Paid in per Share	6 00	
Earned	36	
		6 36

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—TO—

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WEEK DAY TRAINS.

Leave Fruit Vale	Arrive Fruit Vale
8:35 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
10:35 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
4:25 P. M.	4:20 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:25 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
4:25 P. M.	4:15 P. M.

Passengers from Oakland should take trains leaving Broadway twenty minutes in advance of leaving time as shown from Fruit Vale.

Round trip rates Oakland to Mills College or Laundry Farm, 35c.

W. M. RANK, Traffic Manager.
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Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.—Department Three.

In the matter of Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, an insolvent debtor.

Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, an insolvent debtor, having applied to this Court for a discharge from his debts and liabilities:

It is hereby ordered that the Clerk of this Court give notice to all creditors who have proved their debts to appear before this Court, at the Courtroom of Department No. 3 thereof, on the 18th day of February, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they have, why the said Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and from all liabilities.

It is further ordered that notice of said application be given to the creditors by mail and by publication at least once a week for four weeks in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper published in said county.

Done in open Court this January 4, 1895.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed Jan. 4, 1895.
JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.
By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-Law, Mills Building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

EBENEZER CARD,
Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of SAMUEL FURTER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrices, at the office of Snook & Church, room 2, Courthouse, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

MARIA E. FURTER,
EMMA MARIA FURTER,
Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 12, 1894.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Executrices.

LEGAL.

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

CALIFORNIA TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST COMPANY (a corporation), Plaintiff,
vs.
CONSOLIDATED PIEDMONT CABLE COMPANY (a corporation), Defendant.

Order to show cause.

It appearing to this Court from the petition this day presented and filed by Ira Bishop, the duly appointed, qualified and acting receiver of the Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company above named, that the receipts of said receiver from the operation of the railroad of defendant company from all sources for the year ending November first, 1894, and also for the month of November, 1894, are not sufficient to pay the expenses of operating said railway, and the liabilities incurred by said receiver in connection with his receivership, and that it also appears that for some months to come the receipts of said receiver will not meet his expenses.

It is hereby ordered that the stockholders and bondholders of said defendant, Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, and all others interested therein, show cause, if any they may have, before this Court at a regular term thereof, to be held at the courtroom of Department 4, in the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, and State of California, on Monday, the seventh day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, why the said Ira Bishop, as such receiver, should not be authorized and directed to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $20,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to meet the expenses of operating the railroad for said defendant, under the direction of this Court, from time to time, as such moneys may be required, and the indebtedness incurred by said receiver, and pay the same as it accrues from month to month, and to issue to the person or persons advancing the said sum, or sums, of money, his debentures or certificates of $500 each, with coupons or interest warrants attached, providing for the payment of interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, the said debentures or certificates, together with the said coupons or interest warrants, to be signed by such receiver, and the same to be and constitute the first lien upon all of the property of every nature and description of said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, within the lien of the mortgage made by said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company to the California Title Insurance & Trust Company on the 5th day of May, 1890, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, in Liber 344 of Mortgages, page 119, after the first, second and third series of receiver's certificates heretofore issued by said receiver, under and pursuant to orders by this Court made and entered on the 10th day of January, 1894, and on the 28th day of February, 1894, and on the 27th day of November, 1894, respectively, and amounting to $63,500 with interest, are first paid.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a day for three successive days before the day of hearing, in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Alameda, and also once a day for three successive days in the *Evening Bulletin*, a newspaper printed and published in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and also that at least five days prior to the said day of hearing, a copy of this order be deposited in the Postoffice, addressed to each and all of the stockholders and bondholders of said company, known to the said receiver, and that the same be addressed to the last known address of each of said stockholders and bondholders, the postage thereon being fully prepaid.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge.

C. H. WILSON, Attorney for Receiver, 530 California street, San Francisco.

MEETING NOTICES

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1103 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of EDSON F. ADAMS, President.

JAMES C. McKEE, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.

E. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.

Oakland, December 21, 1894.

Probate Notice.

No. 4186.—Department 4.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John G. Hertle, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John G. Hertle, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie J. Taveria, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 3, 1895.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.
By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

J. K. PEIRSOL, Attorney for Petitioner, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California—No. 4175, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Hannah J. Adams, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Hannah J. Adams, deceased, and for the issuance to Edson F. Adams and John C. Adams of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 28, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.
By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4178, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckhalter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 26, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water, in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed. All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story	Two Stories	Three Stories and Upwards
1 to 400	$ [illegible]	$ 6[illegible]	$ 75
401 " 500	60	8[illegible]	9[illegible]
501 " 600	65	96	1 10
601 " 700	7[illegible]	1 05	1 30
701 " 800	85	1 2[illegible]	1 45
801 " 900	95	1 [illegible]	1 65
901 " 1000	1 05	1 [illegible]	1 70
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 6[illegible]	1 80
1201 " 1400	1 15	1 7[illegible]	1 90
1401 " 1600	1 20	1 80	2 00
1601 " 1800	1 25	1 [illegible]	2 0[illegible]
1801 " 2000	1 30	1 95	2 20
2001 " 2200	1 35	2 00	2 25
2201 " 2400	1 [illegible]	2 10	2 35
2401 " 2600	1 45	2 15	2 4[illegible]
2601 " 2800	1 50	2 25	2 5[illegible]
2801 " 3000	1 [illegible]	2 [illegible]	2 65
3001 " 3200	1 [illegible]	2 40	2 70
3201 " 3400	1 [illegible]	2 45	2 85
3401 " 3600	1 [illegible]	2 50	2 95
3601 " 3800	1 75	2 6[illegible]	3 05
3801 " 4000	1 80	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five (5) cents for each additional 100 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0 08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 30.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling $0 15.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $1 75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 40.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $0 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and ground, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¼ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 35.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 40.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 20.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 06.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 04.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumer's request for a readjustment of rates, and shall fix the rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of examination, and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, such consumer shall be supplied at meter rates herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 31, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnson and Pelouze.
Noes—None.
Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

Attest: JAMES E. CRANE,
Clerk of Board.

[SEAL]
By T. M. CRAWFORD,
Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Mary Josephine Cardano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cardano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cardano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cardano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to her, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the county of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland Cal.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $1500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.
JAMES E. CRANE,
County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT,
Deputy Clerk.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post street. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

GEO. A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California.—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 2, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE [illegible] Savings and Loan Society, [illegible] street, [illegible]

VERY LIVELY.

Society Gayly Welcomes in the New Year.

A Host of Pleasant Parties Are Given.

Comments by the Meddler on the Doings of the Week.

There are no complaints from me this week and I'm sure you will be glad. I am usually fretting over some kind of commission, or more frequently of omission. But this week there have been several charming affairs with the prospect of many more. We are to be entertained extensively in the near future and there is a rustle of voluminous silken skirts and the events of huge sleeves, casting shadows before.

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Isn't it under old business that those ladies who have executive ability clean up all the left-over things that litter their ministerial tables? Well, this is old business. It is about the word of caution and advice I gave so generously last week to the men of this burg. All this week I have been hearing complaints, but none from girls. We girls all say, "It is quite time. We have quantities of callers but we always go out with papa or mamma. Why? Oh, for the best reason in the world. Nobody else asks us."

Now I want it distinctly understood that the Oakland girls do not object to callers. Quite the contrary, they like to be called on. But they also like to be taken out. It is more fun to go to places under male escort. And Harry, Frank and Fred mustn't be angry because I told the truth. It is not lack of money. Praiseworthy economy is all very well; but our girls do not expect to be taken to the theater in a carriage. We are quite plebeian, (or is it sensible?) in that respect and are accustomed to shopping, calls and theaters without carriages. Our men go to the theater. There is a respectable list I could mention, which is always represented. I'll do a little sum for you, my friends. Instead of patronizing two performances of Salvini in a stag crowd, costing three dollars, go once and take the girl upon whom you call with pleasing frequency and regularity. It is a choice between two performances at three dollars or two seats at one performance, three dollars. Where is the extravagance? But I can see quite readily where a certain other desirable trait comes in. If you select the girl carefully I will guarantee that you won't have any less fun, either. There now, for new business.

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The most important thing I have to tell you about is the Requa breakfast, which happened last Thursday morning at 11:30 o'clock. I can tell you it was the swellest thing Mrs. Requa has given since that memorable affair to the foreign dames of high degree. And this time, too, it was in honor of a titled guest, Sir Rivers Wilson of England, a guest of the Requas. In the first place, it was one of the most unique table decorations I have ever seen. It does not sound as pretty as it looked, but I can affirm that the effect was simply [illegible]. The room was in holly and red berries, and on the damask cloth gorgeous [illegible] were scattered with a lavish hand. They were long-stemmed, fresh and odorous, and there must have been hundreds of them. Their perfume filled the room, and they looked exactly as though embroidered upon the cloth.

[illegible] breakfasted for two hours, for the [illegible] was most elaborate, but I never heard [illegible] conversation flow and ripple about [illegible]. Every one was charmed with the [illegible] of honor, and some Oakland people, as well as a number of San Franciscans, had been invited to meet him.

The menu, as I said before, was delightful. There were ten courses, including a number of rare and dainty dishes, and five [illegible] of wine. I don't remember half the [illegible] they had, but at Mrs. Requa's the essentials of the feast are never neglected, you know. The dessert was charmingly unique and a delicate compliment to the guest of honor. The principal dish [illegible] individual plum puddings, each one [illegible] in a separate bag, and all brought [illegible] the table burning. It was awfully [illegible], and pretty, too, as well as good to taste.

The guests were: Sir Rivers Wilson, Mr. [illegible], Mrs. Worden (Mrs. Towne's daughter), Mrs. A. N. Towne, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Mills, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Ralston and Claire, Mr. and Mrs. Requa, Amy and Mark. Wasn't that a representative company?

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The J. C. Rueds of Eighth street gave a New Year eve party to the younger set. It was as happy as only a party on that night could be, and there were games, music and frolic, as well as dancing. Near midnight some good stories were told around a crackling fire and they said good-by to old '94 right merrily. All the younger set were there, especially representatives from [illegible] good German families, of whom we have a number.

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On New Year's Day there was a wedding at the Harvey's on Filbert street. It was a very pretty wedding at the odd and [illegible] hour of half past four. At five [illegible] the wedding tea, as I suppose it [illegible] probably be called. There were sixty [illegible] at table—twelve around the large [illegible] sacred to the bride, and the [illegible] twelve tete-a-tete tables. The tea [illegible] daintily served and arranged and it [illegible] to me that the bright talk, bright [illegible] general air of happiness in the [illegible] was one of the most charming [illegible] of the entire wedding. Miss [illegible] catered, and after all the toasts [illegible] drunk and the bride had cut the [illegible] gayly away, beginning the [illegible] new year all on the same [illegible] jolly merry wedding, as so [illegible] this winter. All the [illegible] the pretty bright crimson [illegible] was especially cheer[illegible] something delightful [illegible] wedding. Of course, it [illegible] and wedding gifts into [illegible] but it lands a [illegible] what is far too apt to be a tearful occasion. Miss Smith, the bride, is a relative of Mrs. Harvey, and the groom, Mr. Pratt, is a very good-looking man with many friends in Oakland. At the bride's table were Misses Smith, Clark, Gamble, Vassult, Mrs. Harvey, Messrs. Bandell, Harvey, Phelps, Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, beside the bride and groom.

The bridal pair stood under a bower of ferns and pink roses in the drawing room during the ceremony, but the dining room with its decorations of smilax and berries seemed prettiest to me.

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We will, of course, all be at the Macdonough on Monday and Tuesday next to see *Aladdin Jr.* I had the pleasure of witnessing it across the bay, and I can assure you it is one of the daintiest, prettiest, most enjoyable performances that has ever come to the coast, and I am sure we all ought to be very much obliged to Manager Charles Cook for bringing it to Oakland. Society will honor the event in what we call "en masse," and I anticipate a most delightful time, for everybody will be there.

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The Haights gave a perfectly ideal New Year dinner on Tuesday. It was purely a family affair, but entirely delightful, and I'll tell you about it. It was at the Haight family homestead, and all the Haights, the Tompkins families, the Bayleys, John Burns and his brother, and Mr. Hackett were there. It was a pretty dinner at 7 o'clock, and quite elaborate, for there are a lot of young people among the connections, and their bright faces illuminated the board. After dinner there was singing.

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Miss Mary Williams gives a dinner this Friday evening to a round dozen of guests. It is to be a red dinner, red berries, red shades and red lights, and though an awful night I am sure nobody will miss it. I'll tell you about it next week.

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Those indefatigable entertainers, the Colemans, gave a luncheon on Thursday also. Miss Jessie was the hostess, and from all accounts it was a charming affair. I'm really tired writing that cant phrase about the Coleman's affairs, but what can I do when vocabularies are not unlimited and everything at the Coleman house is perfect in conception and detail? Unfortunately for everybody Miss Jessie was ill and obliged to stay in her room, but the guests were there, the good things were on the table and the luncheon went on. Mrs. Coleman sat down at the table to prevent the odious combination of thirteen. But we girls are not superstitious; oh no. Kate Clement was, as usual, the life of the table, and all Miss Coleman's particular friends were there.

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The best of it all is that there are several stars in the future sky. I never can endure to think that all the fun is over and gone. From all the indications I predict that January is to be a merrie, merrie month. You watch and judge of my prophetic powers by the outcome. I received cards to Mrs. Jesse Wall's reception this week. It is to be dancing as well as conversation, and the date is set for the 12th. Of course Ella and Bessie Wall, Mrs. Glascock and Jessie will assist as hostesses. It is some time since the Walls have given a large affair of this kind, and I'm so glad it is to be in an evening instead of an afternoon tea—all talk and no fun. The house is to be canvassed and Huber's orchestra will play. We are all counting on it and saving our best gowns for the occasion. We haven't forgotten the fun we used to have at the Wall's when they lived in the old house. Look for the gayest girl there and you will see me. There is to be a big crowd and none of the invited would miss it—not for a farm, as our New England ancestors used to say.

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Mrs. C. O. G. Miller gave a dinner on Thursday evening. It was pretty and well arranged, as all Mrs. Miller's dinners are, and the cosy Jackson street house never looked prettier. It was somewhat in the nature of a farewell, I am sorry to say, for Mrs. Miller is going away, you know.

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Mrs. A. A. Moore has sent out cards for a tea on the 11th, from 3 to 6 o'clock. We haven't been up there all in a body for some time. There are over 300 cards, I hear, so prepare for a crush about 5 o'clock. Miss Ethel Moore, the eldest daughter, is home this winter and will assist in receiving. The Moores also have a very pretty bud daughter, Carmen, who goes to Miss Head's school in Berkeley, and will make her debut a winter or so hence. The Moores are charming people and entertain well, but the girls are bookish and care little for society. They are all good talkers and extremely well read, but they have rather too much in their heads to care very deeply for amusement as a business, instead of as a pastime. Later in the winter the Moores will give a dancing party.

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But, this week, most of the talk, after all, has been "Reliance, Reliance," and our local club has blocked up the whole horizon. They have been very much alive, as always, and we're proud of them—our boys. On Friday night they gave a musicale, you know, which was very interesting. There was not as large a crowd as usual, because outside men were smuggled in against the rules. This affair was for members and their lady friends and we breathed in comfort. The music was exceptionally good, especially the singing of the Reliance Glee Club, which is all that is admirable as regards technique and expression. The voices that make it up are good, too. There was no dancing this time, but when the concert was over, we talked in the reading and reception rooms and discussed the approaching game, then shrouded in interesting and delightful mystery.

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At the game on New Year's Day I was surprised not to see a larger representation from Oakland. We ought to attend and applaud every thing the Reliance Club does. I'm sure they have done enough for us this winter to demand the return favor. Of course there were a good many of our girls at the game. I saw Miss Pringle in bright green, Miss Tina Goodal, Louie Bromwell, Miss Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell, *nee* Miss Bessie Gaskill, Dr. and Mrs. Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ewing and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan. Most of the Oakland girls occupied the upper tier of boxes. One reason, I presume, why more of them were not there was that the Reliance boys were to be hosts at a banquet in the Palace Hotel in the evening. As a result several who are the most devoted and attentive of cavaliers were there alone, as it would be impossible to escort the girls home and then re-cross the bay in time for the banquet.

Of course we were all charmed with the result of the game, though there be those who sympathize naturally with the under dog and so were sorry that our visitors were beaten so hard. Only a few colors were seen, because the rival banners are so near alike that it is difficult to distinguish them. Bert Oliver was the hero of the day. In the evening the banquet was most successful. It was gay with humor, music and toasts. There were no wines, you know, to the disgust of many. But the omission was in accordance with the express wish of Manager Stagg, who said, very manfully, that as there were three ministers in the team and the majority of the eleven did not approve of it wine would have to be dispensed with if the Chicago were to accept the hospitality. Of course that settled it. Some of the boys rather lost interest in the event after that, but I guess it was about as well for all concerned. The Glee Club sang a number of songs—one of them being the Chicago nine's yell, cleverly set to music. The banquet moved off very "felicitiously," as someone said, and every man seemed to be enjoying himself to the height of his ability. The football men were, of course, the belles, if you can call it so, notwithstanding the fact of some slight contusions and wounds, more disfiguring than serious. It was a merry, merry supper, and from all Jack tells me I wish I had been there.

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What do you think Mrs. Requa tried to do? It was the loveliest plan, if it had only succeeded, as it certainly would have done if our mothers had co-operated with her properly. It was this way. Mrs. Requa wanted to hire the Tabernacle, have it properly draped, decorated and warmed and give a huge party there, to which no less than 400 of the most charming people around the bay should be bidden. The patronesses of the Deux Temps were to be the hostesses, leaving the invitation list with the young people—properly supervised, of course. The Tabernacle was to have been canvassed and the entertainment was to have been a cotillion, with a good supper afterward. The credit for the idea belongs entirely to Mrs. Requa, and the affair would have been the glory of the Deux Temps. But alas for day dreams. The other patronesses, whose daughters and sons dance the german, were horrified at the originality and unconventionality of the idea. "Monstrous," they said. "Impossible, absurd. Fancy the Tabernacle to dance in. How funny." Thus their conventional ideas rose in horror at the idea of something really novel, although Mrs. Requa, who is quite capable of carrying anything through, offered to assume all the responsibility if the others would only assist her. This, they refused to do, so the gay scheme faded away like a soap bubble, and we are to have small parties and no really big ball. I'm afraid we are provincial here after all, though I try not to think so.

Well, I think that is all for this week. May next week prove as enjoyable. I wish you a very good night and restored from the good cheer of Christmas and New Year, ever the usual cynical MEDDLER.

THE MILLER PARTY.

Last Tuesday night was one of the stormiest that the people of this city have experienced in many a year. But it could not effect the ardor of the young people who had been invited to the party given to the dancing class of Miss Miller, which took place that evening in Masonic Hall.

In many respects, the gathering was an attractive one. Many of the attendants had not, in years, long passed boyhood and girlhood, but they had all attained to that age which enables them to appreciate all the pleasures of youth. The male attendants were cavalierly in their attentions, and the young women received those attentions with a grace as charming as it was easy and unaffected.

The young gentlemen were in evening suits, and the young ladies displayed excellent taste in their costumes. Many of the latter were characterized by extreme simplicity, but were not on that account less becoming and attractive. The general characteristic of the hop was that which distinguished the recent senior class and Caesar class parties, nearly all the participants being in attendance either upon some of the local public schools, academies or the University.

The dance programme was varied by a little dash of the german, two figures being danced, the driving figure and the Christmas tree. In the latter, a huge fir tree was decorated and then brought into the dance hall, the lights of which were lowered. Chinese lanterns were lighted, and the ladies were intrusted with them to search, at times, for their partners. Both figures were carried out in a most successful manner, the latter especially finding favor with the chaperones, of whom there was quite a large number present.

Miss Miller had many willing assistants in the management of the party, but her chief support, and it was valuable, too, came from Joseph J. Rosborough.

The first ten couples in the grand march and the german were as follows: J. J. Rosborough and Miss Etta Havens, Dan Belden and Miss Bessie Palmer, Corie Cregg and Miss Clara Harding, Fred Conklin and Miss Irene Clark, Harry Chickering and Miss Pauline Fore, Paul Selby and Miss Florence Sharon, W. E. Creed and Miss Mamie Kent, Claud Sharon and Miss Bertha McElrath, Fred Diekman and Miss Irena Baker, Clarence Craedam and Miss Jones.

The other guests were: Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Emma Greenwood, Miss Beatrice Vrooman, Miss Helen Nelson, Miss Alma Brown, Miss Amie Harvey, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Grace Gorrill, Miss Sadie Whitney, Miss Mamie Kent, Miss Anita Loesen, Miss Nicholson, Miss Carrie Coit, Miss Mazie Otey, Miss Mary Donnelly, Miss Edith Gaskill, Miss Willard, Miss Florence Treadwell, Miss Florence Walker, Miss Mabel Gann, Miss Myra O'Brien, Miss Anna Pratt, Miss Susie Holcomb, Miss Miner, Miss Baker, Miss Ione Fore, Misses Lohse, Irene Clarke, Miss Stapes, Miss Brown, Miss Clift, Miss Pratt, Miss Grimwald, Miss Edith Kelley, Miss Hattie Kelley.

Messrs. Bert Brown, Harold Harvey, Max Taft, George Sessions, James Kent, Milton Spalding, Paul Selby, William Thorne, Wickford Havens, Anthony Kaeser, George Maither, Fritz Christ, Moit Grossmeyer, Ralph Parkinson, Homer Craig, Arthur Tasoira, Walter Dayton, William Willard, Mr. Newell, Mr. Thornton, W. Hardy, Paul Miller, Mr. Spaulding, Charles Chapman, Mr. Miller, Mr. Stone, Mr. Tuft, Beach Dean, Clide Carmen, Mr. Ransome, Russell Whitney, Charles Lowrey, Mr. Hoffman, Ray Guppy, Allen Rudolph, Mr. Deckman, Mr. Brow,

A good sum for a superior article is real economy. That is why Dr. Price's Baking Powder is a good investment.

BALL OF COMPANY F.

The most elaborate party, by means of which good-by was taken of the old year, was that given by Company F, Fifth Regiment of Infantry, National Guards of California, last Monday night. It was the eighteenth gathering of the kind which that company has held, and, in numbers and character, was superior to any of those that preceded it.

It took place in Military Hall, and the spacious apartment was filled with the friends of the organization.

The hall was decorated in a handsome and thorough manner.

The decorations began at the entrance of the stairs leading to the hall, the steps being carpeted, the sides being hung with national colors and the landing illuminated with parti-colored lights.

The reception room was also decorated with flags, and the same kind of ornamentation characterized the main hall. There is not much variety in color, ordinarily, in flag decoration, but, in this instance, so varied were the designs into which the national emblem had been worked, and so harmonious was their adjustment, that wherever the eye turned it found relief and pleasing effect.

It was the most elaborate decorative work of the kind ever done in this city and was universally appreciated. It was a departure from the decoration by means of palms and ferns, which has become so common, and in some respects afforded relief to eyes which have long been familiar with other species of ornamentation.

The dance programme comprised eighteen numbers, and the medley was not reached until the first day of '95 was already old.

Instead of dancing the old year out and the new year in, "taps" was sounded at midnight by Musician Johnson, the soldiers' farewell was given by a firing squad composed of Sergeant Hintermeyer, Sergeant Rennie and Corporals Harvey, Kennedy and Covalt.

The pages of the programme contained beautifully illuminated pictures of camp life.

This party was under the management of the following:

Committee of Arrangements — Lieutenant C. L. E. Wenk, Corporal H. E. Harvey, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Private C. O. Moe, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private J. Stutt, Private J. G. Black.

Floor Director—Major J. F. Hayes, Assistant—Private J. A. Stutt. Aids—Corporal E. W. Snow, Private J. G. Black, Private A. W. Blakely, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private C. O. Moe.

Reception Committee—Captain G. H. Wethern, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Sergeant C. A. Pearce, Private J. Maginnis.

Among those present were: Miss A. Vessing, Miss Etta Ebbes, Miss Annie Wethern, Miss Maud Liny, Miss Blanche McCormick, Miss Maud Sinclair, Miss Ella Good, Miss Annie Good, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Alderson, Miss Minnie Howage, Miss Florence McArthur, Miss Augie Sturtevant, Miss Lydia Sturtevant, Miss Lillie Murphy, Miss Blanch Wimble, Miss Mamie Summers, Miss Nolan, Miss Jessie Katherine, Miss Moore, Miss March, Miss Bufinger, Miss Muldoon, Miss Daisy Bridges, Miss Sibley, Miss Copp, Miss Lou Burke, Miss Gallord, Miss Belle Hamilton, Miss Adison, Miss Cunningham, Miss Muldoon, Miss Petterson, Miss Mabel Sangley, Miss Ella Moe, Miss Ida Moe, Miss J. W. Vance, Miss Ella Copp, Miss Eva Copp, Miss Jennie Hildreth, Miss Maud Stutt, Miss Ida Smith, Miss L. Fannon, Miss Rose Codia, Mrs. G. H. Wethern, Mrs. Garmin, Mrs. Ravalk, Miss Bessie Hamilton, Mrs. Skaggs, Mrs. Syble, Mrs. J. G. Black, Mrs. ... Maginnis, Mrs. Joe Schott.

Colonel D. B. Fairbanks, commander of the Fifth; Captain Rattanzi, Lieutenant Bolina, Major J. F. Hayes, Major Dunn, Captain G. H. Wethern, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Lieutenant C. E. Wenk, Captain H. T. Coulter, Messrs. A. Cook, H. L. Cunningham, G. C. Cunningham, O. Marston, A. Gerhardy, W. Watson, W. A. Young, Y. Duddy, J. Garney, A. Heimer, J. Hempel, H. Devers, F. Burns, E. Laymance, W. F. Howlam, G. Hughes, C. Summers, A. W. Whitaker, Joe Bouquet, W. Downie, B. Birdsall, E. Theobald, G. Griffin, W. B. Jones, J. J. Hughes, E. Voorhees, W. F. Pettis, C. Rastall, J. Brenner, E. Murray, J. Anderson, W. Barstow, F. M. Manen, A. Bealin, E. Pettis, D. J. Cruijns, F. Mullen, O. Dally, C. Leach, P. Messer, R. B. Duff, M. Stone, J. White, W. Eiston, F. Petterson, B. Hunter, G. W. Batner, C. Fiora, F. Edwards, H. Vissing, G. A. Tyrrell, A. W. Blakely, F. G. Thompson, Joe Schott, F. S. Starrat, J. M. McCrudden, W. F. Johnson, J. G. Black, G. T. Crown, A. G. Mitchell, C. O. Moe, F. Parsons, I. Parsons, A. S. Phelps, George Reed, .. H. Stutt, H. T. Vissing, E. O. Williams, S. Baxley.

A PLEASANT OUTING.

Several members of the Claremont Tennis Club of Berkeley have been spending a few days at the Spiers ranch near Haywards. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Ben Morgan. The members of the party were as follows: Miss Garber, Miss Duff, Miss Stillman, Miss Williams and Messrs. Eckard, Vesder, Stringham, John Bakewell and T. V. Bakewell. Besides these was a number of visitors.

MASON-RATHJEN.

Last Friday night W. C. Mason of this city was united in marriage to Miss Sophie Rathjen at the residence of the bride's parents, 1310 Thirteenth avenue. The home was beautifully decorated and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Seraphine of St. Elizabeth's Church, Bray avenue, Fruit Vale. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Schineter, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Alex Rosborough, Miss Kittie Judge and Mrs. Kittie Cosbie of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown.

"The knave of hearts, he stole those tarts." And no wonder if they were made with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

CENTRAL LODGE BALL.

Central Lodge, No. 251, Ancient Order of United Workmen, brought the old year to a close and ushered in the new one in a manner which will always be considered of a most successful character in the history of the organization. The festivity was held in Montana Hall on Seventh street, near Adeline, and attracted a large number of the friends and members of the order.

The first part of the evening was devoted to literary and musical exercises, as follows:

Piano solo........Miss N. E. Flahavan
Song........Hon. H. Melvin
Accompanist, Miss N. E. Flavahan.
Address........E. P. M., F. Adams
Song........Miss Alice O'Connell
Accompanist, Miss M. O'Connell.
Address........G. D., D. S. Hirshberg
Song........Mrs. Brady
Local orders........D. D., James Patterson
Specialties........M. Cronin
Club swinging........Charles Slamberg

Then followed a choice programme of dancing of about a dozen numbers.

The Committee of Arrangements had spared no pains to make the affair a success and were well rewarded for its efforts. The members of it were as follows: W. J. O'Connell, William Flahaven, J. E. Parkinson, A. G. Foster, S. M. Horgan, C. Gilman.

The other officers were as follows: Floor Manager—William H. Flannagan. Assistants—S. M. Horgan, A. J. Foster, J. C. Parkinson.

THE OLD YEAR OUT.

Miss Mae Lawrence entertained a number of young friends from this city on New Year's eve at her home on McPherson street, Alameda. The evening was spent in a pleasant manner, vocal and instrumental music and dancing being indulged in.

Those present were: Miss May Nelson, Miss Minnie Higgins, Miss Hannah Levy, Miss Gertrude Chester, Miss Annie Cummings, Miss Gertrude Ashe, Miss Kate Cummings, Miss Ella Cannon, Miss Hannah Qualey, Miss Julia Hickey, Miss Annie Nelson, Miss Laura Smith, Miss Maggie Hammond, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Julia Hammond, Miss Isabelle Hopkins, Miss Sadie Burns, Miss Florence Shultis, Miss Augusta Shuman, Miss Evalena Lawrence, Miss Annie Winters, Miss May Daly, Miss Ella O'Brien, Miss Aggie O'Brien, Mrs. Joseph Lawrence.

Messrs. Joe McPherson, Harry Monahan, Elmo Harvey, Paul Stahl, Henry Smith, Frank Silvaria, Joe Lewis, Harry Smith, Bennie Silvaria, Fred Robinson, A. P. Stiefvater, J. Cribbens, P. Meranda, M. Meranda, A. Fisher, H. Foley, T. Dunleavy, J. J. Knight, George Wulzen, T. Shortall, W. Toner, C. Blunt, E. Shultis.

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A SILVER JUBILEE.

On Christmas last, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crocker celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The event was one of a great deal of pleasure to their friends. In honor of the occasion the bride and groom of a quarter of a century ago were tendered a reception by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of 538 Simpson avenue. Four generations were represented in the gathering, and all the guests entered into the spirit of the occasion, and passed the evening in a most pleasant manner. Among those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Scheilhaas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tate and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Sack and daughter, Mrs. Catherine Scheilhaas, Matt Scheilhaas, the Misses Katie and Lizzie Hambright and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crocker.

An additional feature of interest was the receipt of a number of congratulatory telegrams from certain points in Wisconsin and Illinois, which impressed on Mr. and Mrs. Crocker in a most effective manner the esteem in which they are held by their distant friends.

Popular with army officers is the food raised with Dr. Price's Baking Powder. The government orders it for the troops.

KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE

A string orchestra has recently been formed in East Oakland which calls itself the "Knights of the Round Table." They took the name because they play about a round table.

The orchestra of strings meets on Monday evenings at the home of Mrs. Gilbert D. Curtiss and there are ten members, five of whom play guitars and five who play mandolins. At present the club is led by one of the members, but in a month it is to be led by the Sherwood sisters.

They have been practicing now for six months, have mastered fifteen numbers and will soon be ready to give a parlor musicale. At the close of each meeting's practice there is solo work by the guitars.

All the members are well known in East Oakland. Among them are Miss Josephine Nesbitt, Miss May McCabe, Miss Dewing, Miss Hazel Curtiss and Mrs. Curtiss.

"CHICAGOED," THEN DINED.

The members of the Reliance Athletic Club invited the young athletes of the Chicago University to a disastrous defeat on New Year's Day, and afterwards extended to them most generous hospitality in the shape of a grand dinner in the Maple Room of the Palace Hotel. There were present all the members of the Reliance football team, comprising Messrs. Sherman, McMillian, B. and M. Oliver, Sullivan, Smith, Pringle, Sherrard, Wyckoff, Clemens, Walton, Frick, besides the following invited guests: E. M. Fitzgerald, P. M. Remillard, A. Rosborough, George F. Morrow, Dr. H. B. Pelton, Judge A. L. Frick, Colonel Edwards, John Cadman, Will Elder, and the Glee Club, which consists of the following members: R. Coldwell, H. W. Baker, C. W. Crist, D. M. Cornell, A. D. Gaskill, H. W. Thomas, Dr. H. Carlton and M. J. Jellett.

There were also present the members of the Chicago eleven, who made a presentable appearance notwithstanding the struggle in which they had taken part during the afternoon.

E. M. Fitzgerald acted as toastmaster. The usual sentiments were proposed and responded to in a very entertaining manner. The dinner, aside from the elaborate character of the *menu*, was remarkable for the good feeling which prevailed and the exalted opinion which the visitors carried away of Californian hospitality. It was regretted that the Chicago young men were not able to stop over in this city and view the beauty of the country surrounding Oakland, but they were compelled to hurry on to their homes in the Windy City.

THE ROBINSON PARTY.

At the residence of Mrs. J. H. Robinson, 568 Eleventh street, a large number of people find all the comforts of a home. They do not wander far from its cosy precincts when the toils of the day are over, finding there the rest and comfort which render life a pleasure. On New Year's night Mrs. Robinson provided an appreciated entertainment for the still greater enjoyment of her friends, and a large number of them took advantage of the occasion to pass the time in congenial company. The residence was garbed in holiday decorations, evergreens, lilac, lillies and other features of the floral kingdom which can make the interior of a home attractive. Refreshments were served and dancing was indulged in by all the young people present.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. William Craib, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Looman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Shellaberger, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Berier, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Court.

Miss Mamie Myers, Miss Daisy Pollard, Miss Etta Pollard, Miss Lorel Craib, Miss Grace Craib, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Julia Hackett, Miss Eunice Gallagher.

Messrs. F. H. Pollard, S. P. Bodwell, E. E. Laymance, C. A. Moore, S. A. Gladson, R. O. Pooman, A. G. Hughes, A. Chapion, J. W. Daw, W. J. Laymance, George W. Humphrey, A. H. Hayes.

VEREIN EINTRACHT.

Last New Year's eve the Verein Eintracht gave their annual ball in Germania Hall, which included their usual Christmas tree exercises. It is the custom of this well known organization to entertain the children as well as the grown people once every year, and the manner in which they carry out the programme reflects a great deal of credit upon the kindly disposition and liberality of the members. The hall was thronged and there was also a large attendance of little ones. But the great Christmas tree which stood immediately beneath the great central chandelier, gorgeous in its holiday decoration, was loaded down with presents. When the time came to make the little ones happy the children were called together, and every one of them received toys and other gifts sufficient in number to make them long remember the occasion. Then dancing was resumed by the adults and continued until an early hour in the morning.

The floor manager was H. Mohr.

The floor committee comprised: Leo Fuchs, William Lange, Charles Thiele, Fred Koster.

The committee on reception consisted of: M. Bishop, Theo Pauler, John Herrmann, Theo Bucher, Charles Gieshell, John Hennings.

The committee on refreshments comprised C. Basee, Henry Gloy, John Wemmer, W. Lobrecht, William Reichold, Henry Dohrmann.

The president of the society is Henry Reichald and the treasurer, Henry Gloy.

A SOUVENIR OF FRIENDSHIP.

Last Thursday night Julius Abrahamson, while the storm was howling without, retired to his private apartment at home to attend to some business matters. He was suddenly summoned to the parlor and, as he reached there, he was surprised to find a number of his personal friends entering the apartment. He could not divine the object of their coming, until D. S. Hirshberg, speaking for the Board of Officers of the First Hebrew Congregation, presented Mr. Abrahamson with a beautiful cane, with a pearl handle, overlaid with silver filigree. The recipient responded, as well as his surprise would allow. He concluded that the gift and the evidence of good fellowship, which it symbolized were worthy of a convivial closing. He accordingly went to the dining room to order the necessary spread, when to his amazement there stood the table set as if it had been expressly prepared for the occasion. And so indeed it had. Mr. Abrahamson's mother had been taken into the secret, and so, in fact, had been all of the members of the family, except the gentleman himself. Speeches were then made by all the guests and the party broke up at midnight.

Mr. Abrahamson, for years, has been a member of the official board referred to. He is now vice president, and has frequently refused the office of president of the board. He has earned the gratitude and esteem of the members of the organization, and in turn, he will preserve the memento of the same which they have bestowed upon him, with grateful remembrance till the close.

On next Wednesday evening Mr. Abrahamson leaves on a trip to the Old World. On his way to New York he will visit his sister, Mrs. Caro, at Roseburgh, Or., and his nephew, Leon Magnes at Cincinnati. He will leave New York for Bremen, March 1st, and travel through Europe for a number of months, passing a great part of the time in Italy, Switzerland and Germany. Wherever he goes he will never allow the picture of beautiful Oakland to fade from view.

Uncle Sam knows a good thing when he sees it. That is why Dr. Price's Baking Powder is used in army and navy.

BACK TO OAKLAND.

Mrs. Eva Wren, the well known vocalist, will return to Oakland at an early date with the family of her brother, R. A. Marshall, Mr. Marshall having been appointed chief deputy of the Clerk of the Supreme Court in San Francisco. Mrs. Wren met with excellent success in Los Angeles, but consented to return to Oakland in order to continue the musical education of her brother's children. Her former pupils are awaiting her return with impatience.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

Miss Milliefluers and Grace Conder held an informal reception at their home, 710 Fourteenth street, on New Year's from 6 o'clock until 11 o'clock, P. M. The halls and parlors were handsomely decorated with holly berries and smilax. In the other apartments of the house Duchess roses filled many beautiful vases. The dining-room received most attention, the result being a dainty combination of red and green, very pleasing in effect. Many of the hostesses' young school friends called to offer their kindest wishes and greetings for a happy new year.

An orchestra furnished music throughout the evening. The surprise of the guests came at the supper table, when each gentleman received a dainty little "Brownie" as a favor of the reception.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Several of the little friends of Milton H. Glaze met at the residence of his parents, 617 East Twelfth street, on last Saturday evening, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of his birth. The evening was spent in games and music, after which a dainty supper was served. At midnight the little ones retired, wishing Master Milton many happy returns of the occasion.

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PATRIOTIC LADIES.

John A. Logan Circle No. 5, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, held a public installation at Grand Army Hall, last Tuesday evening. The ladies' busy fingers had been at work, and the hall was tastefully decorated with flags, bunting and flowers. The following officers were duly installed by Past Department President Mrs. Drusilla Winchester: President, Mrs. S. E. B. Todd, re-elected; senior vice president, Mrs. Martha Campbell; junior vice president, Mrs. A. M. Rudolph; chaplain, Mrs. N. J. Roth; secretary, Mrs. E. L. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. E. R. Fitzmaurice; conductor, Mrs. M. E. Casey; guard, Mrs. Ida Cecik.

Past President Mrs. S. H. Wilson then presented the newly-elected president with a handsome basket of flowers, in the name of the circle.

The gift was most gracefully received with a few appropriate words.

The secretary, Mrs. E. L. Wilson, who is entering upon her third term as an officer, was also presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

The following programme was then carried out: Piano duet, Mrs. and Miss Violet Howes of San Francisco; song, Ethel Green and Mabel Bailey; recitation, W. H. H. Hussey; song, with guitar accompaniment, Misses Julia and Mamie Mullen; remarks, Major E. W. Woodward; song, Mrs. Howes; remarks, J. K. Petrsol and H. H. Todd; song, Miss Violet Howes; remarks and recitation, Past Department President Mrs. Bailey.

The remainder of the evening was spent in social conversation, while the ladies served coffee and cake to their guests.

Lyon Post kindly donated the use of Grand Army Hall to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, for which the latter wish to return thanks.

GOLDEN BEAR MASQUERADE.

The Golden Bear Club gave a masquerade ball last Thursday evening at College Hall. Despite the raging storm there was a fine attendance. The costumes were many and varied. "Aunt Dinah" was there in all her glory and red bandannas, as also the merry school girl, the Indian princess, Spanish senora and senorita, the tramps, the colored citizen in summer costume, the cowboy, the pretty little summer girl, the dudes in the latest style, and even George Washington, who condescended to dance with "Aunt Dinah." There were also gypsies, butchers, the "Two Little Girls in Blue," and "Little Red Riding Hood", but the wolf was not to be seen. The undertaking was a grand success and the Golden Bears went to their homes in a happy frame of mind.

"The army and navy forever," and both use Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

THE RUED PARTY.

New Year's eve was most pleasantly passed at the residence of Director Rued of the School Board, corner of Adeline and Eighth streets.

There was a merry gathering of young people present at the invitation of Miss Paula Rued, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the host. The guests were all well acquainted with one another and the party assumed the aspect of a large family gathering. Singing, instrumental music and dancing were indulged in and refreshments were served in a very elaborate manner. The house was tastefully decorated, one of the features being a Christmas tree, from which hung a favor intended for each of the guests. The favor was, in some manner, appropriate to the disposition or character of the guest, and many of the young people were happily described by their mementoes.

These features were all the more productive of merriment because they were accompanied by little gems in verse, which were the work of the gentle hostess herself.

The guests were: Miss Julia Bacon, Miss Leilo McKillican, Miss Ethel Pratt, Miss Maud Heine, Miss Lulu Rued, Miss Paula Rued, Miss Caro Carpenter, Miss Amy White, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Lulu Abrego, Miss Flattman, Miss Edith Gaskill.

Messrs. Dwight Hutchinson, C. Allen, John Chase, Harry Chickering, Bert Blanding, C. Heise, W. Bacon, R. Holmes, M. M. Tuft, Joe Rosborough, George Cushing, Anthony Kaeser, Fritz Christ, C. Pickering, Claud Sharon, M. P. Dusinbury.

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James E. Pepper's celebrated whisky on sale by M. F. Thayer, 464 Eighth street.

Christmas Tree Ornaments. Toys and holiday goods at H. Schellhaas.

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CRUSHED.

Dispatcher Sims' Sad Error.

Two Trains Meet in a Tunnel.

The Los Angeles Express Badly Wrecked.

Engineer Hubbard and Fireman Schramm Both Killed.

A Tramp Also Met His Death in the Big Smash-up.

The collision which took place between the Los Angeles express No. 29, bound for this city, and a work-train, eastward bound, in Altamont tunnel, fifty-six miles from this city, last night about 7 o'clock, resulted in the death of three men, while several others sustained painful but not serious injuries.

The killed are Harry Hubbard, engineer of the express, residing at 1775 Lincoln street; Henry Schramm, fireman of the express, who resided at 861 Campbell street; and a tramp.

Some say that the man killed is J. P. Cooper of "Postal Card" fame.

The most seriously injured, so far as known, is C. V. Thompson, fireman of the engine of the working train, who sustained a broken shoulder, a bruised arm and several cuts about the face and body.

The engineer of the work train was William Manrow, who was badly shaken up, but escaped injury.

The Wells-Fargo Express messenger was George R. Openshaw of Alameda, and the mail clerk was F. P. Howland, who was assisted by a "sub," whose name is unknown. There escaped injury.

The express consisted of eight cars and contained the average number of passengers. None of these, however, were hurt. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the meeting trains were running slowly at the time, otherwise the loss of life would have been enormous.

Notwithstanding that the people on board both trains had an almost miraculous escape. This is the first collision on the Western Division of the Southern Pacific in which as many as two human beings lost their lives.

SIMS' FATAL MISTAKE.

The accident was apparently the result of carelessness of the train dispatcher at the broad gauge mole, C. K. Sims. Through lapse of memory or inattention Sims issued the orders which gave the right of way to the two trains, both of which were traveling along the same track in opposite directions.

After the orders had been transmitted the mistake was discovered. There was no intervening station on the pathway of either train, however, to which a dispatch countermanding the order, and possibly intercepting one or both of the trains, could have been transmitted. As a consequence the trains with their wealth of human life and property pushed forward, their engineers innocent of impending danger, until the locomotives came into a deathly embrace in the tunnel about 300 feet from the eastern entrance thereto.

EFFECT OF THE MEETING.

The crash was terrific. The engines were shattered into a mass of iron which almost reached to the roof of the tunnel. Then there was the sound of escaping steam, and the cries of the surprised passengers and train men and the screams of the injured.

Schramm was killed in an instant. Hubbard was caught between the engine and the tender. He was crushed in a horrible manner, but was so tightly wedged in that it was impossible to extricate him. He begged the bystanders, who managed to get into the tunnel as soon as the steam had been blown off, to kill him, but there was no person in the crowd, who had the heart to comply with the request. The poor fellow lingered until midnight, when death came to his relief.

The other members of the train crews set about looking after the comfort of the passengers and those who had sustained minor injuries. One of them secured a horse and as fast as he could galloped to Livermore for the purpose of notifying Division Superintendent Wilder of the accident and calling for assistance. Altamont station is about four miles distant from the scene of the accident, but satisfactory communication could not be established through the office at that place.

The news was flashed into the division superintendent's office at the mole about 8 o'clock, but it was not news then. The men at headquarters knew what would be the result of the clashing orders and awaited the result.

Among those who awaited the dread tidings was Train Dispatcher Sims, who lived an age during the moments of suspense.

He was unable to work and went to his lodging place at the corner of Ninth and Washington streets before he heard of the fatal result of the collision.

Even before the sad news arrived preparations were made for an emergency, and when the fact of the accident had been clearly established, Division Superintendent Wilder lent every energy in hurrying forward assistance of all kinds.

A special was sent out from Tracy and the passengers of the express were brought back to that place about midnight.

Dr. Woolsey was immediately notified of the accident and in a few moments Dr. J. H. Dunn answered the summons at the mole. He was attended by a couple of other experienced surgeons prepared for the worst.

THE RELIEF TRAINS.

Meanwhile everything was activity in the railroad yards. The wrecking train was got in readiness, the wrecking crew and a large force of men were summoned from their homes and at a few minutes before 10 o'clock the train pulled out of the yards for the scene of the wreck in charge of Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson. It made the run quickly, and before the men had been long at work, the wreck began to show signs of clearing.

The tunnel in which the wreck occurred is about 900 feet long and is cut through the solid rock. It is situated about four miles of Altamont and twelve miles east of Livermore. It is about equidistant between Livermore and Tracy.

It was at Livermore the work train received its orders to go toward the east. It was at Tracy the express received orders to proceed to the west.

The work train had been repairing the track in the vicinity of Livermore and Altamont, and having finished its work was bound for points in the vicinity of Tracy.

The express was headed for Oakland and should have reached here in the evening at 5:30 o'clock. It was behind time, however, because it had been detained near Brentwood. This is a station on the main run from Los Angeles, west of Tracy. When the express reached Brentwood it was held, because there was an immense washout between Avon and Martinez. At that time there was also a washout on the Livermore line, which runs to Tracy. The express could, therefore, go at the time it was detained, neither by the Martinez nor Livermore route. The track on the latter line, however, needed only a small amount of repairs, and as soon as these were finished, the express was ordered to Oakland via Livermore.

In order to carry out the order the express returned to Tracy, and there at 6 P. M. it left over the Livermore line. At the same time the work train was speeding to meet it, with what result is known.

The engine on the express was the heavy freight locomotive, 1721. The number of the work engine is unknown.

As a consequence of the wreck and washout, the overland trains which should have left here last night, did not go to till this morning. They then went via Niles, because the washout at Avon was still unrepaired.

THE DEAD MEN.

The trainmen who were killed are married and have families, each having two children.

The bodies of the unfortunate men will be brought to the Morgue this afternoon and an inquest will be held tonight.

BETRAYED A CLIENT.

A Prominent Attorney Goes to Jail.

CINCINNATI, January 5.—Judge Sage in the United States District Court today sentenced ex-United States District Attorney W. B. Burnett to sixty days' imprisonment for embezzling $9000 from a client, Mrs Bennett.

This sentence is a concurrent sentence of six months for contempt of court, which Burnett is serving.

Unless Burnett is able to produce bonds, which seems improbable, the concurrent sentence is practically an indefinite one.

Since its great victory at the World's Fair the sales of Dr. Price's Baking Powder have increased tenfold.

A Fatal Collision.

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., January 5.—Nathan Fuller and Charles King, drovers, were killed and two carloads of sheep slaughtered on the Lehigh Valley railroad today, by a freight train running into the rear of another at a siding.

A Strike Broken.

PITTSBURG, January 5.—The strike at the Edgar Thompson Steel Works, at Braddock, is broken. About 250 furnacemen have returned to work. The Homestead strike is still on, but a meeting of the men will be held tomorrow to determine on the future.

Death of a Prominent G. A. R. Man.

PHILADELPHIA, January 5.—Captain John Taylor, receiver of taxes in this city, died today. He was a candidate for commander-in-chief at the recent national Grand Army of the Republic encampment.

The Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5.—Wheat, firm; May, 99. Barley, firmer; May, 92¾.

CHICAGO, January 5.—Wheat, January, 54⅛@54⅝; May, 58⅝@58¾. Corn, January, 45⅝ bid; May, 47⅞.

The Stock Market.

NEW YORK, January 5.—After 11 o'clock the general market was heavy. It closed steady.

TREASON.

Dreyfus Publicly Disgraced.

His Sword Is Broken in Halves.

Humiliation Showered On an Army Officer.

His Bitter Anguish as the Tragedy Was Enacted.

PARIS, January 5.—Captain W. Fred Dreyfus of the Fourteenth Regiment of Artillery, recently attached to the general staff of the Army, who was tried by court martial, convicted of treason in disclosing important war office documents to foreigners and sentenced to deportation and imprisonment for life in the fortress, was publicly degraded this morning in front of the military school of this city.

Dreyfus turned deathly pale as he signed the prison register.

When this formality was gone through two gendarmes with revolvers escorted him to a closed military wagon, in which, surrounded by guards with drawn swords, Dreyfus was driven to the military school.

The route was lined by thousands.

On arrival at the school Dreyfus was placed in an improvised cell.

Detachments from every branch of the garrison of Paris began assembling in the place De Fontage, and by 9 A. M. fully 9000 troops were ranged about the quadrangle.

At 9 o'clock, Dreyfus was conducted to the square and led before General Darres, in command of troops, and the sentence of the court martial was read to the prisoner.

The general said: "You are adjudged unworthy to bear arms. In the name of the French people, I degrade you."

THE ORDER GIVEN.

General Darres gave a sharp word of command and a non-commissioned officer of the Republican Guard approached Dreyfus.

The infantry presented arms, the cavalry presented swords and there was a long, solemn roll from the massed drum corps.

Dreyfus started back as the non-commissioned officer touched him and shouted, "I am innocent, I swear it. Vive la France."

A non-commissioned officer then tore off Dreyfus' epaulets and all the distinctive marks of his rank as captain of artillery, and ending with breaking the prisoner's sword in two and throwing the two halves at his feet.

Dreyfus was then marched bareheaded around the entire square, in front of the troops.

He was greatly excited and shouted repeatedly, "I am innocent, I swear it," but every time the prisoner spoke, in accordance with orders previously issued, his voice was drowned by a roll of drums.

As Dreyfus passed in front of the place occupied by the representatives of the press he shouted, "Tell the whole of France I am innocent."

This caused some of the officers of the army reserve standing near to retort, "Down with Judas! Silence the traitor!"

It was evident Dreyfus felt these words keenly, for he turned sharply around and faced the officers in a threatening manner, but before he could do or say anything further he was seized by the soldiers and forced to continue his humiliating march around the square.

The crowd outside the square on hearing the prisoner's voice when he protested innocence, raised fierce cries of "Death to the traitor."

The cries of the populace were accompanied by shrill whistling peculiar to a Parisian mob.

When the proceedings were ended, Dreyfus was handcuffed, taken to the prison van and driven to the ordinary prison, escorted by a squad of gendarmes amid cries of "Death to traitors."

SAVED FROM THE SEA.

A Thrilling Experience on the Eastern Coast.

HULL, Mass., January 5.—An unknown two masted schooner supposed to be a fisherman, is ashore on the east end of Long Island.

Shortly after 10 o'clock a life-saving crew succeeded in rescuing the crew of nine men from the rigging, where they were clinging half frozen.

The schooner was the Job H. Jackson Jr., of Port Amboy, N. J., from Norfolk, Va., for Portland, Maine, with a cargo of coal. The vessel is going to pieces.

State Trust Funds.

NEW YORK, January 5.—Martin J. Vandoheien, head bookkeeper of the Clausen & Son Brewing Company, is charged with peculations to the amount of $50,000. It is said the money taken was lost in speculation. Vandoheien has disappeared.

A COLD WELCOME.

A Reception Committee for Tramps at Santa Rosa.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., January 5.—Tramps from Sacramento county are coming into Santa Rosa in uncomfortable numbers.

The city authorities are taking vigorous measures against them.

A rockpile is to be established, where every vagrant found within the city will be put at hard labor five hours for every meal furnished.

Besides this punishment, each tramp will be given a cold water bath as soon as arrested.

Extra policemen will be employed, and very strict measures taken against the predatory class.

EXAMINING SUSPECTS.

The Cashier of the Ontario Bank Making the Rounds.

LOS ANGELES, January 5.—Cashier Fred Stamm of the Ontario State Bank, on seeing Edward Steadman and Frank Carway, the two men now in jail here charged with bank robbery, declared positively that they are not the men who robbed the bank.

He left for Riverside, where he goes to look at two other men held there on the same charge.

The Chinese could fight better if they used Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Burns Going Back Home.

NEW YORK, January 5.—John Burns, M. P., sailed at noon today on the steamer Etruria, accompanied by J. Williams and E. Benn, M. P.

The "Colon" All Safe.

BALTIMORE, January 5.—The Earndale, from Santiago, has brought in the tug Colon last night, reported lost.

IT IS FILED.

The Annexation Petition Goes on Record.

It Contains One-fifth of the City Electors.

Twenty-six Hundred Names Signed to the Document.

After several days of hard work on the part of the Poirier brothers of Temescal, the names on the petition for the annexation of the territory lying between Berkeley and Oakland have been checked off and the petition has been placed on file in the City Clerk's office. The document contains 2600 signatures. It reads as follows:

"*To the Honorable City Council of Oakland:*—The undersigned qualified electors of the city of Oakland, residing therein and representing and constituting not less than one-fifth of the number of qualified electors in said city of Oakland, computed upon the number of votes cast at the last municipal election held therein, hereby respectfully petition and ask your honorable board to have and take such steps and proceedings as may be necessary to alter the boundaries of said city of Oakland, so as to annex thereto, incorporate and include therein and make a part thereof all the following new territory lying and being in the township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, more particularly described as follows, to wit:

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Owing to the prostration of the wires, it is not known whether she reached her destination or not.

The Columbia river is filled with floating ice.

On the Northern Pacific the wires are down, but the trains are running on regular time.

THE SANTA CRUZ LINE.

Passengers on the Broad Guage Have a Hard Time.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., January 5.—The passengers, who left San Francisco for this city on the broad guage train yesterday, did not reach here until 3 o'clock this morning, owing to the delay at Gilroy, where water surrounded the depot.

The train only came as far as Capitola, where it reached at 1 o'clock this morning.

From Capitola the passengers reached this city by vehicle.

Although the San Lorenzo river is still high, much of the flooded district is now free from water.

The roads have been washed out near Glenwood and other places in the county.

BROKE ITS BANKS.

The San Lorenzo Creek on a Big Tear.

There was much excitement in the vicinity of San Lorenzo and Haywards last evening. The San Lorenzo creek has been booming during the storm, and it was expected that it would cause some trouble.

Last night the bank of the creek broke about a mile north of Haywards, causing much damage. A large quantity of water went through the orchards of Horry Meek, Edward Hathaway and the Martin place. The water carried away bridges and fences, and did much destruction in general. The roots of hundreds of fruit trees in the orchards were laid bare.

The water sped on and carried away a portion of the railroad track between Haywards and San Lorenzo, stopping all traffic for a couple of hours.

The road from San Lorenzo to Mt. Eden was under water for a half a mile south of San Lorenzo, and one large bridge was completely washed away. All travel between Mt. Eden and San Lorenzo was stopped until this morning. In some places along the Mt. Eden road land could not be seen for half a mile.

R. C. Vose, who lives at San Lorenzo, says that it was one of the heaviest floods that he has seen in the district for a long time. "It is hard to estimate the damage at this time," said he. "In many of the orchards the roots of the fruit trees are washed bare and many of them may die. Numerous fences were destroyed and one big bridge is gone. The flood has subsided today and now everything is quiet."

THE STORM'S FURY.

Its Effect in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

The storm in Oakland and vicinity has evidently spent its fury, as since yesterday but little damage has been reported.

The city has been divided into two sections, one of which is under the supervision of the Street Superintendent. The other is looked after by an assistant. The employes of the Street Department are busily engaged in clearing the gutters, which were overburdened by the violence of the storm.

Several basements in the business part of town have been flooded, to the destruction of their contents.

The water front is in a worse condition than it was yesterday. In places the slush on the street is almost a foot deep. The condition of affairs is caused and aggravated by the heavy wagons which are constantly passing to and fro.

AT BERKELEY.

Berkeley's Town Marshal is handicaped by the lack of means and men at his disposal and the extensive territory he is obliged to cover. What damage the town has suffered can be repaired in a few days, however. University avenue is badly cut up by the terrific rainfall. In some places the sidewalks are useless, even with rubber overshoes. Last night the sewers, especially on Channing and Bancroft ways, were compelled to carry such an amount of water that it spurted through the manholes for several inches, washing away the macadam from the streets and choking up gutters. The street-car tracks have also been flooded.

AT ALAMEDA.

Alameda has escaped comparatively unscathed. The admirable street and sewer system of the Encinal City and slope of the land has served to carry away the surplus water.

THE PRECIPITATION.

The rainfall for the twenty-four hours ending at 1 o'clock this afternoon amounts to .24 of an inch. For the season, 20.79 inches. For the same time last season, 9 50 inches.

TRAINS DELAYED.

The Oregon train due here yesterday morning arrived at noon today via Livermore and was followed soon after by the Oregon express, due this morning. It came by way of Benicia.

The two overland trains due here this morning from the East and South will arrive here this evening between 5 and 6 o'clock.

ON THE RACK.

Examination of Applicants for Police Stars.

A Big Crowd of "Would-Be's" on Hand.

George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers Are the Inquisitors.

Tall men, short men, fat men, thin men, men with fiery Don Juan mustaches and men with parson like demeanor, gathered in the City Hall this morning to submit to an examination as to their qualifications for appointment to the police force.

The examination is under the supervision of George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers.

As a rule the applicants have an intelligent appearance, though the usual number of men who spell cow with a "k" and are somewhat vague as to reading abilities are on hand.

The morning examination consisted of reading, writing, arithmetic and spelling.

In the afternoon the would be policemen wrestled with interrogations concerning police rules and regulations, the penal code, locality of streets, and city government. The successful applicants will not be announced for several days. The list is by 25 per cent the largest on record.

The applicants are as follows: Robert Callet, 1254 Third avenue; W. F. Woods, 480 Twenty-second street; W. H. Wade, 69 Bay street; C. V. Wiener, 1625 Taylor street; O. F. Turner, 911 Campbell street; J. Sperry, 157 Sixth street; J. S. Samuel, 1112 Webster street; M. L. Sullivan, 689 East Fourteenth street; J. M. Smith, 2030 Market street; T. E. Stack, 810 Harrison street; J. D. Southwell, Eleventh and Franklin streets; F. W. Ryan, 817 Sixteenth street; George Payne, 1314 Twelfth avenue; O. Osborne, 985 Willow street; J. L. Noble, 1728 Eighth street; P. McKay, 857 Myrtle street; J. P. Mortensen, 1727 Myrtle street; W. P. Manning, 1065 Taylor street; A. Morrison, 3 Athol avenue; F. W. Little, 2202 Market street; F. L. Loveland, 1566 Twenty-third avenue; P. B. Lewis, 1580 West Seventh street; F. W. Keller, 1741 William street; E. Jackson, 1658 Seventh street; James Hall; E. J. G. Hahn, 1940 Linden street; J. H. Graham, 665 Thirty-fourth street; J. T. Gardiner, 762 Sixteenth street; P. Gairety, 807 Isabella street; F. J. Downey, W. J. Cashin, L. P. Conner, 527 Seventh street; H. A. Clapp, 704 Webster street; G. D. Bishop, 1031 Chester street; V. H. Bollis, 804 San Pablo avenue; J. O. Bell, 814 Alice street; B. B. Booth, 804 Twelfth street; G. S. Andrews, 968 Fifth street and W. Abel, 762 Ninth street.

Women can't vote in New York, but they can in Wyoming. Everywhere they vote for Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

CRACKSMEN CALL.

Jacob Mohr's Store at Berkeley Is Raided.

The tobacco store of Jacob Mohr, near the corner of Shattuck avenue and Dwight way, Berkeley, was entered by burglars last night, and about $75 worth of cigars, cigarettes and tobacco was carried away. The thieves entered through a rear door, after which they easily gained entrance to the store.

Constable Newell claims to have learned the identity of the robbers, who he says reside in the town, and he is taking steps to have warrants issued for their arrest.

The Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, January 5.—The weekly bank statement is: Loans, increase $743,000; specie, increase $2,106,400; legal tenders, decrease $624,100; deposits, increase $8,366,400; circulation, increase $110,400. The banks now hold $35,362,050 in excess of the requirements.

CLASSL

The Currency Bill Comes Up.

Boatner Speaks In Its Defense.

Bland Calls Him Down in Short Order.

Grover's Pet Measure Looks L[illegible] Knocked Out.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—The [illegible] on the Currency bill in the Hou[illegible] was begun by Boatner of L[illegible] (Democrat), who expressed [illegible] the opposition to the measure [illegible] Democratic side of the House.

He paid a tribute to the [illegible] Secretary Carlisle and dwelt [illegible] duty of supporting him, which [illegible] rested upon the Democratic [illegible].

In the course of Boatner's [illegible] Bland put several questions [illegible] Administration had adopt[illegible] policy, and finally declared [illegible] platform was a fraud. If [illegible] intention to carry it out, he [illegible] platform should mean someth[illegible]

Boatner asked if Bland had [illegible] a supporter of President Cl[illegible] the last campaign, whereu[illegible] responded that he had sup[illegible] platform and voted for the [illegible] and the party had gone [illegible] ominous defeat for its tro[illegible] fraud.

Pence brought up Secretary [illegible] advocacy of silver while a [illegible] the House, in supporting the [illegible] resolution, and asked if, [illegible] cepting the Treasury portfo[illegible] not announced his intention [illegible] some of the Government [illegible] in silver, and had not [illegible] down."

Boatner replied it was [illegible] vive free silver as a factor of [illegible] cy question.

Bland retorted: "You can't [illegible] Democratic party on Rep[illegible] and no Mugwump can [illegible] policy."

American producers also [illegible] Japan. Dr. Price's Baking Powder [illegible] gained a foothold there.

COLLINS MUST D[illegible]

The State Supreme Court [illegible] Him a Reprieve.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5.—The State Supreme Court has refused to grant a new trial to Patrick J. Collins, the steamship engineer who [illegible] bed his wife to death nearly [illegible] ago.

She was an habitue of the [illegible] Coast, and because she threw him [illegible] he literally cut her to pieces.

Collins has been sentenced to [illegible]

Hungary's New Premier.

BUDA PESTH, January [illegible] pected that Count K[illegible] will be intrusted to[illegible] task of forming a new H[illegible] inet.

Death of D. H. [illegible]

ASBURY PARK, N. J., [illegible] Daniel H. Craig, first [illegible] of the New York Ass[illegible] today. He was upw[illegible]

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NEW YORK, January [illegible] steamship La Gasco[illegible] this morning, carrie[illegible] American gold.

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CRUSHED.

Dispatcher Sims' Sad Error.

Two Trains Meet in a Tunnel.

The Los Angeles Express Badly Wrecked.

Engineer Hubbard and Fireman Schramm Both Killed.

A Tramp Also Met His Death in the Big Smash-up.

The collision which took place between the Los Angeles express No. 20, bound for this city, and a work-train, eastward bound, in Altamont tunnel, fifty-six miles from this city, last night about 7 o'clock, resulted in the death of three men, whileseveral others sustained painful but not serious injuries.

The killed are Harry Hubbard, engineer of the express, residing at 1775 Lincoln street; Henry Schramm, fireman of the express, who resided at 861 Campbell street; and a tramp.

Some say that the man killed is J. P. Cooper of "Postal Card" fame.

The most seriously injured, so far as known, is C. V. Thompson, fireman of the engine of the working train, who sustained a broken shoulder, a bruised arm and several cuts about the face and body.

The engineer of the work train was William Manrow, who was badly shaken up, but escaped injury.

The Wells-Fargo Express messenger was George R. Openshaw of Alameda, and the mail clerk was F. P. Howland, who was assisted by a "sub," whose name is unknown. These escaped injury.

The express consisted of eight cars and contained the average number of passengers. None of these, however, were hurt. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the meeting trains were running slowly at the time, otherwise the loss of life would have been enormous.

Notwithstanding that the people on board both trains had an almost miraculous escape. This is the first collision on the Western Division of the Southern Pacific in which as many as two human beings lost their lives.

SIMS' FATAL MISTAKE.

The accident was apparently the result of carelessness of the train dispatcher at the broad gauge mole, C. K. Sims. Through lapse of memory or inattention Sims issued the orders which gave the right of way to the two trains, both of which were traveling along the same track in opposite directions.

After the orders had been transmitted the mistake was discovered. There was no intervening station on the pathway of either train, however, to which a dispatch countermanding the order, and possibly intercepting one or both of the trains, could have been transmitted. As a consequence the trains with their wealth of human life and property pushed forward, their engineers innocent of impending danger, until the locomotives came into a deathly embrace in the tunnel about 100 feet from the eastern entrance thereto.

EFFECT OF THE MEETING.

The crash was terrific. The engines were shattered into a mass of iron which almost reached to the roof of the tunnel. Then there was the sound of escaping steam, and the cries of the surprised passengers and train men and the screams of the injured.

Schramm was killed in an instant. Hubbard was caught between the engine and the tender. He was crushed in a horrible manner, but was so tightly wedged in that it was impossible to extricate him. He begged the bystanders, who managed to get into the tunnel as soon as the steam had been blown off, to kill him, but there was no person in the crowd, who had the heart to comply with the request. The poor fellow lingered until midnight, when death came to his relief.

The other members of the train crews set about looking after the comfort of the passengers and those who had sustained minor injuries. One of them secured a horse and as fast as he could galloped to Livermore for the purpose of notifying Division Superintendent Wilder of the accident and calling for assistance. Altamont station is about four miles distant from the scene of the accident, but satisfactory communication could not be established through the office at that place.

The news was flashed into the division superintendent's office at the mole about 8 o'clock, but it was not news then. The men at headquarters knew what would be the result of the clashing orders and awaited the result.

Among those who awaited the dread tidings was Train Dispatcher Sims, who lived an age during the moments of suspense.

He was unable to work and went to his lodging place at the corner of Ninth and Washington streets before he heard of the fatal result of the collision.

Even before the sad news arrived preparations were made for an emergency, and when the fact of the accident had been clearly established, Division Superintendent Wilder bent every energy in hurrying forward assistance of all kinds.

A special was sent out from Tracy and the passengers of the express were brought back to that place about midnight.

Dr. Woolsey was immediately notified of the accident and in a few moments Dr. J. E. Dunn answered the summons at the mole. He was attended by a couple of other experienced surgeons prepared for the worst.

THE RELIEF TRAINS.

Meanwhile everything was activity in the railroad yards. The wrecking train was got in readiness, the wrecking crew and a large force of men were summoned from their homes and at a few minutes before 10 o'clock the train pulled out of the yards for the scene of the wreck in charge of Assistant Division Superintendent Joe Thompson. It made the run quickly, and before the men had been long at work, the wreck began to show signs of clearing.

The tunnel in which the wreck occurred is about 900 feet long and is cut through the solid rock. It is situated about four miles of Altamont and twelve miles east of Livermore. It is about equidistant between Livermore and Tracy.

It was at Livermore the work train received its orders to go toward the east. It was at Tracy the express received orders to proceed to the west.

The work train had been repairing the track in the vicinity of Livermore and Altamont, and having finished its work was bound for points in the vicinity of Tracy.

The express was headed for Oakland and should have reached here in the evening at 5.30 o'clock. It was behind time, however, because it had been detained near Brentwood. This is a station on the main run from Los Angeles, west of Tracy. When the express reached Brentwood it was held, because there was an immense washout between Avon and Martinez. At that time there was also a washout on the Livermore line, which runs to Tracy. The express could, therefore, go at the time it was detained, neither by the Martinez nor Livermore route. The track on the latter line, however, needed only a small amount of repairs, and as soon as those were finished, the express was ordered to Oakland via Livermore.

In order to carry out the order the express returned to Tracy, and there at 6 P. M. it left over the Livermore line. At the same time the work train was speeding to meet it, with what result is known.

The engine on the express was the heavy freight locomotive, 1721. The number of the work engine is unknown.

As a consequence of the wreck and washout, the overland trains which should have left here last night, did not go to till this morning. They then went via Niles, because the washout at Avon was still unrepaired.

THE DEAD MEN.

The trainmen who were killed are married and have families, each having two children.

The bodies of the unfortunate men will be brought to the Morgue this afternoon and an inquest will be held tonight.

BETRAYED A CLIENT.

A Prominent Attorney Goes to Jail.

CINCINNATI, January 5.—Judge Sage in the United States District Court today sentenced ex-United States District Attorney W. B. Burnett to sixty days' imprisonment for embezzling $9000 from a client, Mrs Bennett.

This sentence is a concurrent sentence of six months for contempt of court, which Burnett is serving.

Unless Burnett is able to produce bonds, which seems improbable, the concurrent sentence is practically an indefinite one.

Since its great victory at the World's Fair the sales of Dr. Price's Baking Powder have increased tenfold.

A Fatal Collision.

WHITE HAVEN, Pa., January 5.—Nathan Fuller and Charles King, drovers, were killed and two carloads of sheep slaughtered on the Lehigh Valley railroad today, by a freight train running into the rear of another at a siding.

A Strike Broken.

PITTSBURG, January 5.—The strike at the Edgar Thompson Steel Works, at Braddock, is broken. About 250 furnacemen have returned to work. The Homestead strike is still on, but a meeting of the men will be held tomorrow to determine on the future.

Death of a Prominent G. A. R. Man.

PHILADELPHIA, January 5.—Captain John Taylor, receiver of taxes in this city, died today. He was a candidate for commander-in-chief at the recent national Grand Army of the Republic encampment.

The Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5.—Wheat, firm; May, 99. Barley, firmer; May, 92½.

CHICAGO, January 5.—Wheat, January, 54½@54⅝; May, 58⅛@58⅜. Corn, January, 45⅛ bid; May, 47⅞.

The Stock Market.

NEW YORK, January 5.—After 11 o'clock the general market was heavy. It closed steady.

TREASON.

Dreyfus Publicly Disgraced.

His Sword Is Broken in Halves.

Humiliation Showered On an Army Officer.

His Bitter Anguish as the Tragedy Was Enacted.

PARIS, January 5.—Captain W. Fred Dreyfus of the Fourteenth Regiment of Artillery, recently attached to the general staff of the Army, who was tried by court martial, convicted of treason in disclosing important war office documents to foreigners and sentenced to deportation and imprisonment for life in the fortress, was publicly degraded this morning in front of the military school of this city.

Dreyfus turned deathly pale as he signed the prison register.

When this formality was gone through two gendarmes with revolvers escorted him to a closed military wagon, in which, surrounded by guards with drawn swords, Dreyfus was driven to the military school.

The route was lined by thousands.

On arrival at the school Dreyfus was placed in an improvised cell.

Detachments from every branch of the garrison of Paris began assembling in the place De Fontage, and by 9 A. M. fully 9000 troops were ranged about the quadrangle.

At 9 o'clock, Dreyfus was conducted to the square and led before General Darres, in command of troops, and the sentence of the court martial was read to the prisoner.

The general said: "You are adjudged unworthy to bear arms. In the name of the French people, I degrade you."

THE ORDER GIVEN.

General Darres gave a sharp word of command and a non-commissioned officer of the Republican Guard approached Dreyfus.

The infantry presented arms, the cavalry presented swords and there was a long, solemn roll from the massed drum corps.

Dreyfus started back as the non-commissioned officer touched him and shouted, "I am innocent, I swear it. Vive la France."

A non-commissioned officer then tore off Dreyfus' epaulets and all the distinctive marks of his rank as captain of artillery, and ending with breaking the prisoner's sword in two and throwing the two halves at his feet.

Dreyfus was then marched bareheaded around the entire square, in front of the troops.

He was greatly excited and shouted repeatedly, "I am innocent, I swear it," but every time the prisoner spoke, in accordance with orders previously issued, his voice was drowned by a roll of drums.

As Dreyfus passed in front of the place occupied by the representatives of the press he shouted, "Tell the whole of France I am innocent."

This caused some of the officers of the army reserve standing near to retort, "Down with Judas! Silence the traitor!"

It was evident Dreyfus felt these words keenly, for he turned sharply around and faced the officers in a threatening manner, but before he could do or say anything further he was seized by the soldiers and forced to continue his humiliating march around the square.

The crowd outside the square on hearing the prisoner's voice when he protested innocence, raised fierce cries of "Death to the traitor."

The cries of the populace were accompanied by shrill whistling peculiar to a Parisian mob.

When the proceedings were ended, Dreyfus was handcuffed, taken to the prison van and driven to the ordinary prison, escorted by a squad of gendarmes amid cries of "Death to traitors."

SAVED FROM THE SEA.

A Thrilling Experience on the Eastern Coast.

HULL, Mass., January 5.—An unknown two masted schooner supposed to be a fisherman, is ashore on the east end of Long Island.

Shortly after 10 o'clock a life-saving crew succeeded in rescuing the crew of nine men from the rigging, where they were clinging half frozen.

The schooner was the Job H. Jackson Jr., of Port Amboy, N. J., from Norfolk, Va., for Portland, Maine, with a cargo of coal. The vessel is going to pieces.

Stole Trust Funds.

NEW YORK, January 5.—Martin J. Vandoheien, head bookkeeper of the Clausen & Son Brewing Company, is charged with peculations to the amount of $50,000. It is said the money taken was lost in speculation. Vandoheien has disappeared.

A COLD WELCOME.

A Reception Committee for Tramps at Santa Rosa.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., January 5.—Tramps from Sacramento county are coming into Santa Rosa in uncomfortable numbers.

The city authorities are taking vigorous measures against them.

A rockpile is to be established, where every vagrant found within the city will be put at hard labor five hours for every meal furnished.

Besides this punishment, each tramp will be given a cold water bath as soon as arrested.

Extra policemen will be employed, and very strict measures taken against the predatory class.

EXAMINING SUSPECTS.

The Cashier of the Ontario Bank Making the Rounds.

LOS ANGELES, January 5.—Cashier Fred Stamin of the Ontario State Bank, on seeing Edward Steadman and Frank Carway, the two men now in jail here charged with bank robbery, declared positively that they are not the men who robbed the bank.

He left for Riverside, where he goes to look at two other men held there on the same charge.

The Chinese could light better if they used Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

Burns Going Back Home.

NEW YORK, January 5.—John Burns, M. P., sailed at noon today on the steamer Etruria, accompanied by J. Williams and E. Benn, M. P.

The "Colon" All Safe.

BALTIMORE, January 5.—The Earndale, from Santiago, has brought in the tug Colon last night, reported lost.

IT IS FILED.

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Nothing has been heard from the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company's train, which is snow-bound at Bonneville.

The steamer Harvest Queen left this city, this morning, for Bonneville to bring delayed passengers in.

Owing to the prostration of the wires, it is not known whether she reached her destination or not.

The Columbia river is filled with floating ice.

On the Northern Pacific the wires are down, but the trains are running on regular time.

THE SANTA CRUZ LINE.

Passengers on the Broad Guage Have a Hard Time.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., January 5.—The passengers, who left San Francisco for this city on the broad guage train yesterday, did not reach here until 3 o'clock this morning, owing to the delay at Gilroy, where water surrounded the depot.

The train only came as far as Capitola, where it reached at 1 o'clock this morning.

From Capitola the passengers reached this city by vehicle.

Although the San Lorenzo river is still high, much of the flooded district is now free from water.

The roads have been washed out near Glenwood and other places in the county.

BROKE ITS BANKS.

The San Lorenzo Creek on a Big Tear.

There was much excitement in the vicinity of San Lorenzo and Haywards last evening. The San Lorenzo creek has been booming during the storm, and it was expected that it would cause some trouble.

Last night the bank of the creek broke about a mile north of Haywards, causing much damage. A large quantity of water went through the orchards of Horry Meek, Edward Hathaway and the Martin place. The water carried away bridges and fences, and did much destruction in general. The roots of hundreds of fruit trees in the orchards were laid bare.

The water sped on and carried away a portion of the railroad track between Haywards and San Lorenzo, stopping all traffic for a couple of hours.

The road from San Lorenzo to Mt. Eden was under water for a half a mile south of San Lorenzo, and one large bridge was completely washed away. All travel between Mt. Eden and San Lorenzo was stopped until this morning. In some places along the Mt. Eden road land could not be seen for half a mile.

R. C. Vose, who lives at San Lorenzo, says that it was one of the heaviest floods that he has seen in the district for a long time. "It is hard to estimate the damage at this time," said he. "In many of the orchards the roots of the fruit trees are washed bare and many of them may die. Numerous fences were destroyed and one big bridge is gone. The flood has subsided today and now everything is quiet."

THE STORM'S FURY.

Its Effect in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

The storm in Oakland and vicinity has evidently spent its fury, as since yesterday but little damage has been reported.

The city has been divided into two sections, one of which is under the supervision of the Street Superintendent. The other is looked after by an assistant. The employes of the Street Department are busily engaged in clearing the gutters, which were overburdened by the violence of the storm.

Several basements in the business part of town have been flooded, to the destruction of their contents.

The water front is in a worse condition than it was yesterday. In places the slush on the street is almost a foot deep. The condition of affairs is caused and aggravated by the heavy wagons which are constantly passing to and fro.

AT BERKELEY.

Berkeley's Town Marshal is handicaped by the lack of means and men at his disposal and the extensive territory he is obliged to cover. What damage the town has suffered can be repaired in a few days, however. University avenue is badly cut up by the terrific rainfall. In some places the sidewalks are useless, even with rubber overshoes. Last night the sewers, especially on Channing and Bancroft ways, were compelled to carry such an amount of water that it spurted through the manholes for several inches, washing away the macadam from the streets and choking up gutters. The street-car tracks have also been flooded.

AT ALAMEDA.

Alameda has escaped comparatively unscathed. The admirable street and sewer system of the Encinal City and slope of the land has served to carry away the surplus water.

THE PRECIPITATION.

The rainfall for the twenty-four hours ending at 1 o'clock this afternoon amounts to .24 of an inch. For the season, 20.79 inches. For the same time last season, 9 50 inches.

TRAINS DELAYED.

The Oregon train due here yesterday morning arrived at noon today via Livermore and was followed soon after by the Oregon express, due this morning. It came by way of Benicia.

The two overland trains due here this morning from the East and South will arrive here this evening between 5 and 6 o'clock.

ON THE RACK.

Examination of Applicants for Police Stars.

A Big Crowd of "Would-Be's" on Hand.

George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers Are the Inquisitors.

Tall men, short men, fat men, thin men, men with fiery Don Juan mustaches and men with parson like demeanor, gathered in the City Hall this morning to submit to an examination as to their qualifications for appointment to the police force.

The examination is under the supervision of George Kaufman and Sol Rodgers.

As a rule the applicants have an intelligent appearance, though the usual number of men who spell cow with a "k" and are somewhat vague as to reading abilities are on hand.

The morning examination consisted of reading, writing, arithmetic and spelling.

In the afternoon the would be policemen wrestled with interrogations concerning police rules and regulations, the penal code, locality of streets, and city government. The successful applicants will not be announced for several days. The list is by 25 per cent the largest on record.

The applicants are as follows: Robert Callet, 1254 Third avenue; W. F. Woods, 480 Twenty-second street; W. E. Wade, 69 Bay street; C. V. Wisner, 1625 Taylor street; O. F. Turner, 941 Campbell street; J. Sperry, 157 Sixth street; J. S. Samuel, 1112 Webster street; M. L. Sullivan, 680 East Fourteenth street; J. M. Smith, 2030 Market street; T. E. Stack, 810 Harrison street; J. D. Southwell, Eleventh and Franklin streets; F. W. Ryan, 817 Sixteenth street; George Payne, 1314 Twelfth avenue; O. Osborne, 985 Willow street; J. L. Noble, 1728 Eighth street; P. McKay, 857 Myrtle street; J. P. Mortensen, 1727 Myrtle street; W. P. Manning, 1665 Taylor street; A. Morrison, 3 Athol avenue; F. W. Little, 2202 Market street; F. L. Loveland, 1566 Twenty-third avenue; P. R. Lewis, 1880 West Seventh street; F. W. Keller, 1741 William street; E. Jackson, 1658 Seventh street; James Hall; E. J. G. Hahn, 1010 Linden street; J. R. Graham, 665 Thirty-fourth street; J. T. Gardiner, 762 Sixteenth street; P. Gairety, 807 Isabella street; F. J. Downey, W. J. Cashin, L. P. Connor, 527 Seventh street; H. A. Clapp, 704 Webster street; G. D. Bishop, 1054 Chester street; V. H. Belfils, 801 San Pablo avenue; J. O. Bell, 816 Alice street; B. B. Booth, 801 Twelfth street; G. S. Andrews, 968 Fifth street and W. Abel, 762 Ninth street.

Women can't vote in New York, but they can in Wyoming. Everywhere they vote for Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

CRACKSMEN CALL.

Jacob Mohr's Store at Berkeley Is Raided.

The tobacco store of Jacob Mohr, near the corner of Shattuck avenue and Dwight way, Berkeley, was entered by burglars last night, and about $75 worth of cigars, cigarettes and tobacco was carried away. The thieves entered through a rear door, after which they easily gained entrance to the store.

Constable Newell claims to have learned the identity of the robbers, who he says reside in the town, and he is taking steps to have warrants issued for their arrest.

The Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, January 5.—The weekly bank statement is: Loans, increase $743,000; specie, increase $2,106,400; legal tenders, decrease $624,100; deposits, increase $3,366,400; circulation, increase $110,400. The banks now hold $35,862,050 in excess of the requirements.

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ROD IS BRAVE.

The County Recorder Purchases a Hoodoo,

Its Influence Has Been Felt on Politics.

A Rabbit's Foot Now Called on to Break the Spell.

The "hoodoo" pistol was again brought forth this morning by County Treasurer Chase and offered for sale at public auction. This time the Treasurer met with better luck. The pistol has a history. It is of the American bulldog pattern and is a fine weapon. It was used by an unknown suicide, who died in the Berkeley hills. Coroner Evers took charge of it and then turned it over to the Treasurer, as it escheated to the State. A general belief prevailed that the pistol had a "hoodoo" attached to it. While it was in the possession of George Chase he lost a renomination. He still had it in his possession when he was defeated for re-election.

Mr. Chase offered the pistol for sale, but could not get a bid on it. The "hoodoo" now seemed to be complete. This morning, however, County Recorder Rod Church broke the spell. The weapon was offered for sale at public auction.

Charley Ayers started the ball rolling by bidding two and a half cents. Frank Jordan made it five cents and R. C. Vose raised it to a quarter. The "hoodoo" pistol was finally knocked down to Church for $1 75. As soon as the Recorder received the pistol he rubbed it with a rabbit's foot that had been prepared by George H. Mason. Mr. Church thinks that he has now effectually broken the back of the "hoodoo."

FRICK'S FAREWELL.

Resolutions Adopted by the County Board.

At a meeting of the County Board of Education held at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools this morning some miscellaneous business was transacted, after which the following resolutions were introduced by Mr. Ludlow:

WHEREAS, George W. Frick has been for many years a member of the Alameda County Board of Education, by appointment and by virtue of his office as County Superintendent of Schools of said county; and

WHEREAS, We, the members of the aforesaid board, have always found in him an active and efficient co-laborer in the cause of education; and

WHEREAS, Said George W. Frick is now about to sever his connection with this board, to assume the principalship of one of the leading grammar schools of the city of Oakland; therefore,

Resolved, That in the retirement of George W. Frick, the Board of Education of Alameda county loses a valuable and progressive member. A member whose ambition has been earnestly directed to the improvement of our public schools and to the advancement of education generally.

In all our associations with him in this educational work we have found him to be a kind and courteous gentleman.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of the board and that they be published in the daily papers.

After remarks by Chairman Lynch, referring in a feeling manner to the many years of pleasant and profitable associations between himself and the retiring Superintendent of Schools, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Mr. Frick responded appropriately at some length and introduced his successor, J. P. Garlick, who also made a few remarks.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES.

Dr. Wendte Will Give an Interesting Series.

Rev. C. W. Wendte will give tomorrow evening at the Unitarian Church, corner Castro and Fourteenth streets, an illustrated discourse on "Inspiration in Word, Picture and Song."

The illustration will consist of stereopticon views selected or prepared for the discourse, and appropriate music by the choir.

Sunday evening, January 13th, the pastor will begin a course of fortnightly illustrated lectures on "Sundays in Italy," as follows:

January 13th—"Milan and the Cities and Scenery of Northern Italy."

January 27th—"Venice in Art and Story."

February 10th—"Florence; Its Men and Memories."

February 24th—"Rome; Ancient and Early Christian."

March 10th—"Rome; Medieval and Modern."

March 24th—"Naples and Its Bay."

These lectures will be informal and largely reminiscent and will be illustrated with a large collection of stereopticon views of the scenery, monuments, churches, sculptures and paintings of Italy.

Political excitement cannot interrupt the constantly growing demand for Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It's the popular choice.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Bench.

T. C. Fenner, G. G. Armstrong and Marshall Diggs filed their report as appraisers of the estate of John Folsom Clark, and Anna Clark, minors, in court this morning. They appraise the estate at $400.

Dennis A. Landregan of Berkeley was, this morning, allowed ten days additional time in which to answer the complaint of C. Newman, by Judge Greene.

T. W. Harris reports fees as a notary public for the past year at $87 50.

A. G. Vandervoort, also a notary public, reports fees from April 21st to December 31st, at $68.

Rufus Smith's Estate.

The inventory and appraisement of the estate of Rufus Smith, deceased, was filed with the County Clerk today. The appraisers, W. F. Kroll, P. A. [illegible] and John L. Bromley, value the property at $40,000. The claim of [illegible] Coyle against the estate for $2500 has been approved, as has also the claim of J. H. and C. M. Selfridge for [illegible]

A Lady Notary.

[illegible] Cornwall reports fees as a notary public from June 1st to December [illegible] $133.

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WATER STREET.

Steps to Be Taken for a Big Improvement.

Opening a New Avenue on the Water Front.

Preliminary Measures to Be Taken on Monday Next.

At the next meeting of the Council, the preliminary steps will be taken towards carrying out the intent of the charter regarding the opening of a railroad avenue two-hundred feet in width along the water front on the line of Water street. Councilman Barstow has, for a long time, been earnestly desirous of carrying out such an improvement. He made an effort a year ago to get it started, but other important matters were then occupying the Council's attention, and the opening of Water street had to be shelved for the time.

Now the subject is to be again taken up, and the ball will be started by the introduction of a suitable resolution, providing for plans and surveys, etc., by Councilman Snell on Monday night. If the Supreme Court of the United States decides the water front cases in favor of the city the proposed improvement will be simplified. It is proposed that Water street shall be opened now from Canal street, at the head of the estuary, following the bulkhead line established by the Government engineers along the shore line of the Seventh ward to Eleventh street, thence along the western shore line of the north arm of the estuary to the line of Water street as laid out on the north side of the estuary, thence to Pine street, which terminates at the east end of the training wall.

Mr. Barstow has favored the extension of the avenue along the western side of the city, as provided for in the charter, but his associates think it would be best to postpone that part until some later day.

If the Supreme Court renders a decision before the end of February, which it is believed it will, the present Council will be able to push the work far enough ahead to assure its consummation by its successor.

It is very reasonably believed that the proposed action of the Council will also have the effect of making the subject of local improvements the main issue in the coming campaign, and that it will be on such a broad and enlightened scale that it will open up a new era in the history of Oakland. Mr. Barstow has been required to wait patiently for a long time for his colleagues to come to his way of thinking, but they appear to be getting in line now very rapidly.

FOR LEISURE HOURS.

A Charming Work Issued for Musicians.

"The Musician's Leisure Hour" is the title of a neatly bound volume just issued by J. H. Rosewald of San Francisco. It is a collection of musical anecdotes, instructive articles on the violin, piano and other instruments, short poems, etc., the combination making a most readable and interesting production. The author has dedicated it to Mrs. M. H. De Young, who is aptly described as "the musician's friend."

The thorough acquaintance of the author with his subjects is exemplified in every page. Mr. Rosewald is well known in musical circles on the Pacific Coast, for in addition to being a thoroughly practical musician, he is one of the best qualified and most popular instructors in this section. His ingenuity is well evidenced in the able collection of anecdotes and aphorisms which signalize the book, and even those who do not class themselves as musicians will never regret the time passed in its perusal.

The book is neatly bound and is for sale at the music and book stores. Price, $1 25.

The Alameda Veterans.

The Alameda Veterans' Republican Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Colonel George Babcock, president; Ralph Hamlin, secretary; Charles L. Metzger, treasurer; Board of Directors, F. J. Fletter, E. B. Dunning and J. C. Linderman. The club will hold a regular meeting on the first Tuesday in each month.

A Farewell Party.

A most enjoyable party was tendered Miss Elizabeth McCall last evening by the members of the G. A. M. O. Dancing Club at Montana Hall. It was in honor of the young lady's departure for Stanford University. The hall and banquet rooms were decorated with potted plants, ferns and crimson bunting. Dancing was the main feature of the evening, and at midnight a delicious supper was served in the banquet room.

TAFT & PENNOYER'S

Annual Discount Sale Is Now in Full Swing.

For the next thirty days we will continue to give from 10 to 25 per cent discount on all woolen goods, and also we offer 10 per cent discount from regular prices on all our particularly choice stock. Sole agents for Jaeger Sanitary Underwear, Butterick Patterns, Centemeri Gloves. TAFT & PENNOYER, 1163-65-67 Broadway.

CAN HOLD OUT.

A Case Affecting Street Car Companies.

A case of considerable importance to street car employes and companies was decided by Judge Allen this morning.

J. M. Ollien, a motorman, brought suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company to recover $25, the deposit required of employes to protect the companies from carelessness.

The testimony showed that some time ago Ollien ran into another car on a switch and damaged it to the extent of $15.

When he was discharged the $15 was deducted from his deposit. Ollien brought suit to recover the entire amount.

Judge Allen decided in the company's favor.

W. R. DAVIS HERE.

He Returns Safely From Washington.

W. R. Davis returned this afternoon from Washington where he went to argue the Oakland Water Front case before the Supreme Court.

Luscious as California fruit is the food made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder. Dr Price's received gold medal at the California Midwinter Fair.

PUBLIC SPIRITED.

Deserved Success Is Attending the Salingers.

People of this city are disposed to give credit to the public-spirited business men who have invested their capital in Oakland enterprises, and none of these men who are so commended deserve the commendation more than do Salinger Brothers. As everybody knows, this reputable firm has its palatial store, with its immense stock of dry and fancy goods, at 1013-1019 Washington street. This store is the handsomest and best lighted in town. On the darkest day goods may be seen in their true color.

The firm has just accomplished a grand business stroke by the purchase of the entire stock of the Jamestown, New York, Knitting Mills, which is one of the most valued and complete in the country. When this stock arrives it will be put on sale and disposed of at factory prices.

This will be the finest opportunity the people of this city and vicinity will have to obtain a supply of these valuable goods. Aside from their beauty, the prices at which they will be sold will put them in great demand.

Garbage Dumpers.

J. L. Hayes, A. Malinaers, N. Donuce, Antone Peralta, and L. Stagnaro, were arrested this afternoon on complaint of John P. Irish, for dumping garbage on the marsh at Twenty-second and Peralta streets, which Irish claims is in violation of city ordinances. The men arrested claim to have been acting under authority given them by the City Council.

A Forger Held to Answer.

Jacob Levy was held to answer in the Superior Court on a charge of forgery by Judge Allen this morning. Bonds were fixed at $2000.

Rough on Beggars.

Frank Burns and James Duffy, two beggars, were sentenced to sixty days each by Judge Wood this morning.

Died at the Infirmary.

Thomas McMillan, a native of Scotland, aged 43 years, died at the County Infirmary, January 3d.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE

Of the Bon Ton Restaurant at No. 1062 Washington Street (Under People's Theater), on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 2 O'clock P. M.

To settle up partnership, this restaurant, doing a fine business, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. Property consists of tables, chairs, linen, plated ware, cash register, cutlery, safe, counter, kitchen utensils, fine range, stock of groceries and stock of liquors. Place will be offered at one lot and if bid not satisfactory, will be sold piecemeal.

Terms cash.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

The next term of the Oakland Seminary, 528 Eleventh street, will commence on Monday, January 7, 1895. The departments are Kindergarten, Primary and Academic, and prepares for colleges and universities.

MRS. M. K. BLAKE, Principal.

Hacks and cabs at all hours, telephone 48. City Hall Livery and Gurney Cab Company, Fourteenth and Washington streets. Special attention given to boarding horses.

Get your watches and jewelry repaired by R. Wickman, Jeweler, formerly with Shreve, 1215 Broadway.

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Chairs to let for parties and entertainments.

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December 21 and 22 we give away a lot of toys at H. Schellhaas.

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Our Annual Reduction Sale will begin next Monday. It will pay you to look to us for all January wants in our line. Special prices in every department in the store.

Begins Monday, January 7th.

A Suitable Christmas Present

For any lady is a box of Lehnhardt's French candy. 1159 Broadway, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Knives and Gas Lamps and a charming selection of holiday goods for Christmas presents, both useful and ornamental; see our odorless oil heating stoves. Mitchell & Tutt.

Can You Shoot?

Fifty-five dollars cash for the best shots in Oakland. For particulars call at Creedmore range, 465 Twelfth street.

The physicians send all their patients to Theo. Gier, 915 Washington street, for pure wines and liquors for medicinal purposes.

Fill the Children's Stockings

With only the purest and freshest candy, such as you can get at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between 13th and 14th sts.

Here's What You Want for the Holidays—One of Those Elegant New Style Rockers, Desks or Tables

Just received, and at prices that will suit you. Also some nice second-hand furniture at auction prices. Call and see at our elegant new stores. C. W. KINSEY, 462-464 Thirteenth street.

The Holidays Are Ended

And the Schreiber Furniture Company enjoyed a better trade than they expected. They have taken stock and are now offering great reductions on all articles in their mammoth stock of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, Rugs and Mattings. Their unique designs in Figured Corduroy Parlor Sets are something worth seeing, and there is not an article needed to handsomely furnish a home but what can be found at the Schreiber Furniture Company's Stores, at 1157 and 1159 Washington street.

The Ferris Wheel rolls on merrily at the Grand Rule Bazaar, corner Ninth and Washington streets. Everybody is invited to visit Santa Claus.

Banging Lamps

For parlor and store use at H. Schellhaas.

If you are about to paint, paper or decorate your house, call on James Cahill & Co., 408 Twelfth street.

The reporter called—Say, Sanborn, what's the news today?

"Why, have you not heard the news? Look into these bins and drawers and see those fine Hyacinths, Tulips and Daffodills and the largest assortment of Spring flowering bulbs in the city."

"These are fine looking bulbs, sure."

"Tell your friends to call and see them. Now is the time to plant." Hutchison & Sanborn, 517 Fourteenth street.

IMPORTED ale and porter, the best for invalids, at Theo. Gier's, 915 Washington street.

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HUBBARD—Near Altamont, January 4, 1895, Henry G., beloved husband of Dora Hubbard, and son of Warren Hubbard, a native of Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 42 years, 7 months and 24 days.

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An Ingenious Invention by Charles A Webster, Formerly of This City.

Charles A. Webster of Spokane, Wash., who resided in Oakland twenty-six years ago and spends a portion of his time in this State, is the inventor of an ingeniously devised coin-holder, on which he is taking out a patent, and of which there will be numerous designs—some to carry in the pocket; others, to be connected with the belt, for children and ladies. It consists of a case, some of them flexible or hinged, between each coin, and long enough to hold several coins, while the slot or opening through the coin-holder admits of the easy passage of the different kinds of coins to pass through, from an opening at upper end and down by gravitation, in some of them, to the lower section, which has an ingeniously contrived circular opening in front and rear which opens out to the lower end and shows about two-thirds of the center of the coin in that section and which can be readily and quickly grasped by the thumb and forefinger and removed at the will of the operator, there being springs (or side pressure) at top; also at lower end to keep coins in place.

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The building exteriorly, together with the ground, is attractive; interiorly the woodwork is of solid and carved walnut, the mantels of purest Italian marble and design, and the walls decorated with exquisite frescoes.

The Hospital Section, comprising Surgical, Medical, and Convalescent Wards, is separated from the section for invalids, each department being provided with special corridors, bathrooms, electrical appliances. Dr. Louis Weigert's hot air treatment for diseases of the lungs, etc.

Steam, Medical and Electric Baths, and all the appointments of a first-class Hospital, and all the requirements, conveniences and comforts of a Private Home for Invalids are here provided.

The matron is an experienced nurse, and the nurses and attendants (male and female) are well trained and reliable.

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STATEMENT

OF

The Condition, Value and Location of the

ASSETS and LIABILITIES

OF THE

Oakland Bank of Savings

A Corporation doing business at the northeast corner of

BROADWAY and TWELFTH ST.

OAKLAND, CAL.

Dated - December 31, 1894

ASSETS.

1. Loans secured by first mortgage real estate in this State, the [illegible] of which is,			$3,094,171 61
The location of these loans is as follows			
Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley		$2,803,989 9	
Alameda County	$84,885 31		
Butte	5,000 00		
Colusa	60,880 45		
Contra Costa	7,700 00		
Fresno	17,901 01		
Glenn	45,425 60		
San Benito	8,285 30		
Solano	10,192 12		
Tulare	12,661 55	250,183 22	
Total real estate loans		$3,051,171 01	
2. Loans secured by bonds, other stocks and on personal security, the actual value of which is			160,105 92
3. United States Government Bonds and bonds secured by first mortgages on real estate within this State, and municipal bonds, stocks and warrants the actual value of which, is			1,393,706 50
The mortgage bonds, certificates of stock and other securities above referred to are kept and held in the vaults of said corporation			
4. Bonds deposited in Mercantile Safe Deposit Company Vaults in New York City, the actual value of which is			201,253 25
5. Bank building and lot (including safe deposit vaults), corner Twelfth street and Broadway, Oakland, the actual value of which is			100,000 00
6. Other real estate in the Counties of Alameda, Butte, Fresno and Solano, the actual value of which is			64,715 25
7. Cash on hand and in banks			426,034 00
			$5,439,989 86

LIABILITIES.

1. To depositors, said corporation owes deposits amounting to	$4,808,528 40
2. To stockholders, the amount of the capital stock	480,000 00
3. Reserve and Contingent Funds (The condition of said liability to stockholders is that no part of this amount can be paid to them, or in any way withdrawn, until all depositors shall have been paid in full the amount of their deposits and declared dividends, except in payment of losses during the existence of the corporation.)	151,461 16
	$5,439,989 86

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS,

By ISAAC L. REQUA ....President

and by W. W. GARTHWAITE.........Cashier

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, City of Oakland, County of Alameda } ss.

Isaac L. Requa and W. W. Garthwaite being each separately duly sworn, each for himself, says: That the said Isaac L. Requa is President, and that the said W. W. Garthwaite is Cashier of The Oakland Bank of Savings, the corporation above mentioned, and that the foregoing statement is true.

ISAAC L. REQUA,

W. W. GARTHWAITE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fourth day of January, A. D. 1895.

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—THE—

Oakland Bank of Savings

COR. BROADWAY AND TWELFTH ST.

INCORPORATED 1867.

Authorized Capital - $1,000,000 00

Capital Paid in - - - 480,000 00

Reserve and Contingent Fund 150,000 00

Deposits, Jan. 1, 1894, - 5,167,822 22

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OAKLAND..................................CALIFORNIA

Capital Stock - - - $1,000,000

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Funds deposited with Correspondents [illegible]

Union Savings Bank

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Capital Fully Paid.......$ 300,000

Reserve Fund 75,000

Deposits Dec. 31, 1893....3,229,362

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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

The regular COURSE OF LECTURES will begin Monday, Jan. 7, at 9 A. M., at the College building, Stockton st., near Chestnut, San Francisco. R. A. McLEAN, M. D., Dean, 305 Kearny street, corner Bush, San Francisco.

ROD IS BRAVE.

The County Recorder Purchases a Hoodoo.

Its Influence Has Been Felt on Politics.

A Rabbit's Foot Now Called on to Break the Spell.

The "hoodoo" pistol was again brought forth this morning by County Treasurer Chase and offered for sale at public auction. This time the Treasurer met with better luck. The pistol has a history. It is of the American bulldog pattern and is a fine weapon. It was used by an unknown suicide, who died in the Berkeley hills. Coroner Evers took charge of it and then turned it over to the Treasurer, as it escheated to the State. A general belief prevailed that the pistol had a "hoodoo" attached to it. While it was in the possession of George Chase he lost a renomination. He still had it in his possession when he was defeated for re-election.

Mr. Chase offered the pistol for sale, but could not get a bid on it. The "hoodoo" now seemed to be complete. This morning, however, County Recorder Rod Church broke the spell. The weapon was offered for sale at public auction.

Charley Ayers started the ball rolling by bidding two and a half cents. Frank Jordan made it five cents and R. C. Vose raised it to a quarter. The "hoodoo" pistol was finally knocked down to Church for $1 75. As soon as the Recorder received the pistol he rubbed it with a rabbit's foot that had been prepared by George H. Mason. Mr. Church thinks that he has now effectually broken the back of the "hoodoo."

FRICK'S FAREWELL.

Resolutions Adopted by the County Board.

At a meeting of the County Board of Education held at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools this morning some miscellaneous business was transacted, after which the following resolutions were introduced by Mr. Ludlow:

WHEREAS, George W. Frick has been for many years a member of the Alameda County Board of Education, by appointment and by virtue of his office as County Superintendent of Schools of said county; and

WHEREAS, We, the members of the aforesaid board, have always found in him an active and efficient co-laborer in the cause of education; and

WHEREAS, Said George W. Frick is now about to sever his connection with this board, to assume the principalship of one of the leading grammar schools of the city of Oakland; therefore,

Resolved, That in the retirement of George W. Frick, the Board of Education of Alameda county loses a valuable and progressive member. A member whose ambition has been earnestly directed to the improvement of our public schools and to the advancement of education generally.

In all our associations with him in this educational work we have found him to be a kind and courteous gentleman.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of the board and that they be published in the daily papers.

After remarks by Chairman Lynch, referring in a feeling manner to the many years of pleasant and profitable associations between himself and the retiring Superintendent of Schools, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Mr. Frick responded appropriately at some length and introduced his successor, J. P. Garlick, who also made a few remarks.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES.

Dr. Wendte Will Give an Interesting Series.

Rev. C. W. Wendte will give tomorrow evening at the Unitarian Church, corner Castro and Fourteenth streets, an illustrated discourse on "Inspiration in Word, Picture and Song."

The illustration will consist of stereopticon views selected or prepared for the discourse, and appropriate music by the choir.

Sunday evening, January 13th, the pastor will begin a course of fortnightly illustrated lectures on "Sundays in Italy," as follows:

January 13th—"Milan and the Cities and Scenery of Northern Italy."

January 27th—"Venice in Art and Story."

February 10th—"Florence; Its Men and Memories."

February 24th—"Rome; Ancient and Early Christian."

March 10th—"Rome; Medieval and Modern."

March 24th—"Naples and Its Bay."

These lectures will be informal and largely reminiscent and will be illustrated with a large collection of stereopticon views of the scenery, monuments, churches, sculptures and paintings of Italy.

Political excitement cannot interrupt the constantly growing demand for Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It's the popular choice.

COURT NOTES.

Matters Brought Up Before the Superior Bench.

T. C. Fenner, G. G. Armstrong and Marshall Diggs filed their report as appraisers of the estate of John Folsom Clark, and Anna Clark, minors, in court this morning. They appraise the estate at $400.

Dennis A. Landregan of Berkeley was, this morning, allowed ten days additional time in which to answer the complaint of C. Newman, by Judge Greene.

T. W. Harris reports fees as a notary public for the past year at $87 50. A. C. Vandervoort, also a notary public, reports fees from April 21st to December 31st, at $68.

Rufus Smith's Estate.

The inventory and appraisement of the estate of Rufus Smith, deceased, was filed with the County Clerk today. The appraisers, W. F. Kroll, P. A. [illegible]erch and John L. Bromley, value the property at $40,000. The claim of [illegible] Coyle against the estate for $2500 has been approved, as has also the [illegible] J. H. and C. M. Selfridge for [illegible]

A Lady Notary.

[illegible] H. Cornwall reports fees as a notary public from June 1st to December [illegible] $133.

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CUTICURA, the great skin cure, instantly allays the most intense itching, burning, and inflammation, permits rest and sleep, heals raw and irritated surfaces, cleanses the scalp of crusts and scales, and restores the hair. CUTICURA SOAP, the only medicated toilet soap, is indispensable in cleansing diseased surfaces. CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new blood and skin purifier and greatest of humor remedies, cleanses the blood of all impurities, and thus removes the cause. Hence the CUTICURA REMEDIES cure every humor of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, from pimples to scrofula, from infancy to age.

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WATER STREET.

Steps to Be Taken for a Big Improvement.

Opening a New Avenue on the Water Front.

Preliminary Measures to Be Taken on Monday Next.

At the next meeting of the Council, the preliminary steps will be taken towards carrying out the intent of the charter regarding the opening of a railroad avenue two-hundred feet in width along the water front on the line of Water street. Councilman Barstow has, for a long time, been earnestly desirous of carrying out such an improvement. He made an effort a year ago to get it started, but other important matters were then occupying the Council's attention, and the opening of Water street had to be shelved for the time.

Now the subject is to be again taken up, and the ball will be started by the introduction of a suitable resolution, providing for plans and surveys, etc., by Councilman Snell on Monday night. If the Supreme Court of the United States decides the water front cases in favor of the city the proposed improvement will be simplified. It is proposed that Water street shall be opened now from Canal street, at the head of the estuary, following the bulkhead line established by the Government engineers along the shore line of the Seventh ward to Eleventh street, thence along the western shore line of the north arm of the estuary to the line of Water street as laid out on the north side of the estuary, thence to Pine street, which terminates at the east end of the training wall.

Mr. Barstow has favored the extension of the avenue along the western side of the city, as provided for in the charter, but his associates think it would be best to postpone that part until some later day.

If the Supreme Court renders a decision before the end of February, which it is believed it will, the present Council will be able to push the work far enough ahead to assure its consummation by its successor.

It is very reasonably believed that the proposed action of the Council will also have the effect of making the subject of local improvements the main issue in the coming campaign, and that it will be on such a broad and enlightened scale that it will open up a new era in the history of Oakland. Mr. Barstow has been required to wait patiently for a long time for his colleagues to come to his way of thinking, but they appear to be getting in line now very rapidly.

FOR LEISURE HOURS.

A Charming Work Issued for Musicians.

"The Musician's Leisure Hour" is the title of a neatly bound volume just issued by J. H. Rosewald of San Francisco. It is a collection of musical anecdotes, instructive articles on the violin, piano and other instruments, short poems, etc., the combination making a most readable and interesting production. The author has dedicated it to Mrs. M. H. De Young, who is aptly described as "the musician's friend."

The thorough acquaintance of the author with his subjects is exemplified in every page. Mr. Rosewald is well known in musical circles on the Pacific Coast, for in addition to being a thoroughly practical musician, he is one of the best qualified and most popular instructors in this section. His ingenuity is well evidenced in the able collection of anecdotes and aphorisms which signalize the book, and even those who do not class themselves as musicians will never regret the time passed in its perusal.

The book is neatly bound and is for sale at the music and book stores. Price, $1 25.

The Alameda Veterans.

The Alameda Veterans' Republican Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Colonel George Babcock, president; Ralph Hamlin, secretary; Charles L. Metzger, treasurer; Board of Directors, F. J. Fletter, E. B. Dunning and J. C. Linderman. The club will hold a regular meeting on the first Tuesday in each month.

A Farewell Party.

A most enjoyable party was tendered Miss Elizabeth McCall last evening by the members of the G. A. M. O. Dancing Club at Montana Hall. It was in honor of the young lady's departure for Stanford University. The hall and banquet rooms were decorated with potted plants, ferns and crimson bunting. Dancing was the main feature of the evening, and near midnight a delicious supper was served in the banquet room.

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Annual Discount Sale Is Now in Full Swing.

For the next thirty days we will continue to give from 10 to 25 per cent discount on all woolen goods, and also we offer 10 per cent discount from regular prices on all our particularly choice stock. Sole agents for Jaeger Sanitary Underwear, Butterick Patterns, Centemeri Gloves. TAFT & PENNOYER, 1163-65-67 Broadway.

CAN HOLD OUT.

A Case Affecting Street Car Companies.

A case of considerable importance to street car employes and companies was decided by Judge Allen this morning.

J. M. Ollien, a motorman, brought suit against the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company to recover $25, the deposit required of employes to protect the companies from carelessness.

The testimony showed that some time ago Ollien ran into another car on a switch and damaged it to the extent of $15.

When he was discharged the $15 was deducted from his deposit. Ollien brought suit to recover the entire amount.

Judge Allen decided in the company's favor.

W. R. DAVIS HERE.

He Returns Safely From Washington.

W. R. Davis returned this afternoon from Washington where he went to argue the Oakland Water Front case before the Supreme Court.

Luscious as California fruit is the food made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder. Dr Price's received gold medal at the California Midwinter Fair.

PUBLIC SPIRITED.

Deserved Success Is Attending the Salingers.

People of this city are disposed to give credit to the public-spirited business men who have invested their capital in Oakland enterprises, and none of these men who are so commended deserve the commendation more than do Salinger Brothers. As everybody knows, this reputable firm has its palatial store, with its immense stock of dry and fancy goods, at 1013-1019 Washington street. This store is the handsomest and best lighted in town. On the darkest day goods may be seen in their true color.

The firm has just accomplished a grand business strike by the purchase of the entire stock of the Jamestown, New York, Knitting Mills, which is one of the most valued and complete in the country. When this stock arrives it will be put on sale and disposed of at factory prices.

This will be the finest opportunity the people of this city and vicinity will have to obtain a supply of these valuable goods. Aside from their beauty, the prices at which they will be sold will put them in great demand.

Garbage Dumpers.

J. L. Hayes, A. Malinaera, N. Dounce, Antone Peraita, and L. Stagnaro, were arrested this afternoon on complaint of John P. Irish, for dumping garbage on the marsh at Twenty-second and Peralta streets, which Irish claims is in violation of city ordinances. The men arrested claim to have been acting under authority given them by the City Council.

A Forger Held to Answer.

Jacob Levy was held to answer in the Superior Court on a charge of forgery by Judge Allen this morning. Bonds were fixed at $2000.

Rough on Beggars.

Frank Burns and James Duffy, two beggars, were sentenced to sixty days each by Judge Wood this morning.

Died at the Infirmary

Thomas McMillan, a native of Scotland, aged 43 years, died at the County Infirmary, January 3d.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE

Of the Bon Ton Restaurant at No. 1062 Washington Street (Under People's Theater), on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 2 O'clock P. M.

To settle up partnership, this restaurant, doing a fine business, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. Property consists of tables, chairs, linen, plated ware, cash register, cutlery, safe, counter, kitchen utensils, fine range, stock of groceries and stock of liquors. Place will be offered at one lot and if bid not satisfactory, will be sold piecemeal.

Terms cash.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

The next term of the Oakland Seminary, 528 Eleventh street, will commence on Monday, January 7, 1895. The departments are Kindergarten, Primary and Academic, and prepares for colleges and universities.

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Fill the Children's Stockings
With only the purest and freshest candy, such as you can get at Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway, between 13th and 14th sts.

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462-464 Thirteenth street.

The Holidays Are Ended
And the Schreiber Furniture Company enjoyed a better trade than they expected. They have taken stock and are now offering great reductions on all articles in their mammoth stock of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, Rugs and Mattings. Their unique designs in Figured Corduroy Parlor sets are something worth seeing, and there is not an article needed to handsomely furnish a home but what can be found at the Schreiber Furniture Company's Stores, at 1157 and 1159 Washington street.

The Ferris Wheel rolls on merrily at the Grand Rule Bazaar, corner Ninth and Washington streets. Everybody is invited to visit Santa Claus.

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ASSETS and LIABILITIES

OF THE

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OAKLAND, CAL.

Dated - December 31, 1894

ASSETS.

1. Loans secured by first mortgage on real estate in this State, the actual value of which is		[illegible]957,174 61
The location of these loans is as follows		
Oakland Alameda and Berkeley		$2,566,993 9[illegible]
Alameda County	$81,826 31	
Butte	5,000 00	
Colusa	10,58[illegible]	
Contra Costa	7,[illegible]	
Fresno	17,[illegible]	
Glenn	[illegible]	
San Benito	8,2[illegible] 30	
Solano	10,192 [illegible]	
Tulare	12,161 [illegible]	290,18[illegible]
Total real estate loans		$2,957,174 61
2. Loans secured by pledge of [illegible] the actual value of [illegible]		100,19[illegible] 52
3. United States Government Bonds and Bonds secured by first mortgages on real estate within this State and municipal bonds, stocks and warrants the actual value of which is		1,[illegible]3 706 80
The mortgages, bonds, certificates of stock and other securities above referred to are kept and held in the vaults of said corporation		
4. Bonds deposited in Mercantile Safe Deposit Company Vaults in New York City, the actual value of which is		201,[illegible] 25
5. Bank building and lot (including safe deposit vaults), corner Twelfth street and Broadway, Oakland, the actual value of which is		100,000 00
6. Other real estate in the Counties of Alameda, Butte, Fresno and Solano, the actual value of which is		51,715 25
7. Cash on hand and in banks		426,0[illegible] 00
		$[illegible],459,169 86

LIABILITIES.

1. To depositors, said corporation owes deposits amounting to	$4,50[illegible],425 [illegible]
2. To stockholders, the amount of the capital stock	450,000 00
3. Reserve and Contingent Funds (The condition of said liability to stockholders is that no part of this amount can be paid to them, or in any way withdrawn, until all depositors shall have been paid in full the amount of their deposits and declared dividends, except in payment of losses during the existence of the corporation.)	153,461 [illegible]
	$[illegible],459,[illegible] 86

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The regular COURSE OF LECTURES will begin Monday, Jan 7, at 9 A. M., at the College building, Stockton st., near Chestnut, San Francisco. R. A. McLEAN, M. D., Dean, 305 Kearny street, corner Bush, San Francisco.

CHURCH CHAT.

Gleanings About the Doings of the Pastors.

The Texts Selected for the Sunday Services.

Changes in Some of the Parishes and the Reasons Therefor.

Rev. David Wetzell, for several years pastor at Portland, Or., but more recently of Woodland, Cal., one of the most popular preachers of his denomination on the coast, has been extended a call to become pastor of the *First Christian Church*, corner Thirteenth and Market streets. It is understood he has accepted the call and will begin his pastorate Sunday, January 13th, inst.

The Woodland *Mail* says: "Last Sunday Rev. Wetzell, pastor of the Christian Church of this city, presented his resignation to his official board. This action was in pursuance of the pastor's constraint to accept a call from the First Christian Church of Oakland. It goes without saying that Mr. Wetzell's prospective departure occasions sincere regret, not only among the earnest members of his flock, but with the community at large. During Mr. Wetzell's residence in Woodland the various Protestant churches of this city have worked together in a unity of spirit and sympathy to a greater degree than for many years; and the *Mail* believes every pastor in the city gives Mr. Wetzell a generous share of the credit for such a pleasant social and religious relationship. Fearless and uncompromising in defending what he believes to be right and decent, he has wielded a powerful influence upon the thought of the community, and what he has said will not be forgotten as soon as he is gone. And when, in years from now, the history of the Christian Church is written it will be said of David Wetzell that a more courageous, earnest, faithful, able preacher of the gospel never expounded God's word from its pulpit. Not long ago one of our "dyed-in-the-wool" Methodist sisters attended one of Mr. Wetzell's services. His sermon pleased her so that she confessed to her surprise that she should hear such good old-fashioned Methodist preaching in a Christian Church. Not long after this a good Baptist lady happening to hear one of the versatile *clergyman's sermons* declared that his theology was of the simon pure Baptist sort, just the kind she loved to hear. These are authentic instances, and are indicative of the broad gauge Christianity that inspires him. His hosts of friends in Woodland will wish him God-speed in his new field of labor."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. J. B. Koehne will speak morning and night, giving the opening discourses of a "Course on the Life of Christ." Morning topic: "Judaism Before Christ." Evening: "Paganism Before Christ."

BAPTIST MISSION, Campbell street—Preaching by Rev. L. T. Bush at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

ELMHURST—Rev. N. F. Hoyt will preach in Parsons' Hall at 11 A. M. Sunday school in the same place at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Tomorrow evening the Rev. C. H. Hobart begins a series of six sermons on the Prodigal Son. The following will be the topics: "Leaving Home," "Riotous Living," "A Mighty Famine," "Mental Equilibrium," "The Prodigal's Purpose," and "The Wanderer's Welcome."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. J. H. Hughes of San Jose will preach tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Dr. Sweeney of this city filling his pulpit at San Jose. Rev. Mr. Wetzell, the new pastor-elect, will inaugurate his pastorate one week from tomorrow, January 13th. The church has been without a regular pastor for over a year, and having enlarged its chapel, improved and re-furnished, it will begin the new year with active and regular work. Rev. Dr. Sweeney, who was pastor some eight years, has been filling the pulpit temporarily the past few months, severs his connection and gives over the charge to Rev. Wetzell, the pastor-elect.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor. Communion service 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Eucharist." Sunday school at 12 o'clock; 7:30 P. M. subject "The True Spiritual Life."

GOSPEL MISSION, 418 Eighth street—Bishop Hart and wife will speak at 3:30 P. M. Subject, "Full Salvation;" and Dr. W. O. Buckland, in the evening, at 7:15 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harrison and Fourteenth streets—Rev. R. Ritchie, rector. The Epiphany. Sunday school, 9:15 A. M.; Litany and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6 P. M.; young men's Bible class, 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

EIGHTH AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects: morning: "The Preparation Commanded by Christ." Evening: "Eternity." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Union services Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 7:30 P. M. in the following order: The Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, the Pilgrim Congregational Church, the Eighth Avenue M. E. Church, and the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Grove street, near Eighth—Floyd J. Mynard, rector; Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. The Epiphany—Morning prayer and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 7:30 P. M.; sermons by the rector. Sunday school, 9:40 A. M.

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. G. M. Hill, pastor. Subjects: 10:30 A. M.—"The Heavenly Manna." 7:30 P. M.—"The Father's House," being the first of several short evening sermons on the Prodigal Son. Communion and reception of new members at the morning service.

ST. MARCUS' GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "The Guiding Star."

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Mrs. Mercie M. Thirds, of Chicago, will lecture. Subject: "The Glory of the Masses," at the Theosophical Free Library Rooms, Hamilton Hall, at 7:45 P. M.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. C. W. Wendte preaches at 10:30 A. M. At 7:30 o'clock P. M. the first of a series of illustrated lectures. Topic: "Inspiration in Word, Picture, and Song." The illustration furnished by a stereopticon and the church choir.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Campbell Coyle will speak at 10:30 A. M. on "A Crossless Christianity," and at 7:30 Dr. Coyle will speak on "Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New." There will be preaching in the lecture room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Dupuy.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—There will be held five services in this church. The evangelist, Rev. O. H. Yatman, will speak at four of them as follows: At the regular services, at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. He will speak to women only at 3 P. M. He will address men only at 4 P. M., his theme being "Forty Wrestlers." The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will address a union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies at 6 P. M. The class meeting at 9:15 A. M. will be led by Rev. O. B. Smith and the Sunday school will be held at 12:30 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Communion after the evening service. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 P. M. In Lorin we hold Sunday school at 2 P. M. in the German Methodist Episcopal Church. In East Oakland, in the Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, we will tomorrow at 3 P. M. open up a Swedish Sunday school. A. Nelson, leader. All Scandanavian children welcomed.

CHESTER STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. Rev. M. Shepbard, the evangelist, will conduct the morning and evening services at 10:30 and 7:30 o'clock.

PROSPECT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Power and Value of Prayer." Evening subject: "What Wilt Thou Give Me to Do?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. A New Year's service at which the topic, "Our Church," will be considered from various view points by several speakers.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—In the morning the subject will be: "1895—Shall We Drift or Steer?" In the evening the pastor will speak on, "Sacramento Up to Date."

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Bayley will preach in the *morning* at 11 o'clock. The pastor, G. H. Jones, preaches at the *evening service*. Subject: "Choosing the Service of God." The evening worship commences with song.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Communion at morning service. Evening subject, "Eternal Youth in Heaven." Next week is the week of prayer, with nightly meetings.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. John Palmer acting pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. James R. Pierce, of the University of California, will supply the pulpit morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Secret of It." Evening subject; "Spiritual Opportunities."

ASBURY CHURCH—Corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets. Rev. G. Bough will preach at 10:30 A. M. on "The Need of the Age;" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Praising God Man's Duty." Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. and Epworth League at 6:15 P. M.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets—Rev. Cader Edwards Davis, minister, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Whole Counsel of God." At 3 P. M., there will be a "minister's congratulatory meeting"—all invited. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Subject of preaching, "On Unto Perfection."

Church Notes.

The revival meetings have now been in progress at the Methodist Church for one week and the public are becoming familiar with Mr. Yatman's methods and people generally are well pleased. He is a tremendous worker and is not satisfied with anything but thorough work. He preaches the old doctrines of repentance and restitution for sin, as far as possible. He magnifies manhood and womanhood and holds up Christ as the only possible means of present and final salvation. The meeting on Friday night was one of great power. All the denomination were represented and many ministers were present. Nine persons rose for prayers; some of them came to the altar and were converted. The meetings will continue every afternoon and night next week and the public are cordially invited.

Rev. J. B. Koehne of Pittsburg, Pa., begins tomorrow morning at the First Congregational Church, under the title of "The Nazarene or the Reasonableness of Christianity," a series of ten sermon-lectures on the life and mission of Jesus. These addresses will cover the ground of the World's preparation for Christ's coming; the Historical Environments of His birth; the Meaning of the Temptation; the revision of Old World religious theories made by the Sermon on the Mount; the Revelation of *man's nature and destiny* through a Transfigured life; the philosophy of the Miracles; the laws producing a new humanity set forth in His doctrines; the genius of the Disciples; the summing up of His nature and work in the Crucifixion; the study of the Political, Moral and Spiritual forces created by His Life.

Mr. Koehne, although yet a comparatively young man, has achieved an enviable reputation on the platform at the East. He several years ago conceived the idea of delivering before churches, colleges and other institutions a carefully prepared series of lectures upon the great theme now announced. Much time and labor has been expended upon the work. It is intended to be in popular form a presentation of Christian apologetics, or Christian evidences; a kind of supplementary evangelism, such as St. Paul performed in his second tour among the churches for the confirmation in faith of those previously convinced and convicted.

Mr. Koehne will continue his addresses each evening next week and until completed. The following is the list of subjects: 1. Judaism Before Christ. 2. Paganism Before Christ. 3. Sermon on the Mount. 4. The Transfiguration. 5. The Miracles. 6. The Greater Doctrines of Jesus. 7. The Crucifixion. 8. The Genius of Christianity. 9. Modern Skepticism. 10. Christianity and Civilization. The addresses are free to the public; at 7:30 each evening.

The attendance at the annual meeting of the First Free Baptist Church on Wednesday evening was larger than that of any annual meeting for several years. C. H. Caswell, the treasurer, reported a reduction of the floating debt since June 1st from $536 to $300. The trustees elected for the ensuing year were: Phineas White, H. W. Snow, E. F. Burrill, Dr. F. E. Pierce, Charles A. Farnham, J. P. Seamans and S. P. Meads. In view of the fact that the acting pastor, Rev. John Palmer, can remain only till spring, the clerk was instructed to correspond with Rev. G. G. Mosher of Worcester, Mass., with a view of his taking the pastorate of the church about April 1st.

Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, preaches tomorrow upon the following themes: Morning, "Abundantly Satisfied." Evening, "Leaving Home," the first in a series upon the Prodigal Son. The Lord's supper will follow the regular morning service.

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The University Glee Club Will Start Soon.

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Two years in succession they have gone to Southern California, but this year they will visit Central California. They will visit Woodland, January 7th; Marysville, January 8th; Chico, January 9th; Sacramento, January 10th; and Stockton, January 11th. At Sacramento they will invite the members of the Legislature to their concert and some of the leading society ladies of that place will be patronesses of the concert.

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Estate of MARY WATERS, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Waters, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at No. 861 Broadway street, in the city of Oakland, Alameda county, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Mary Waters, deceased.

B. McFADDEN,
Executor of the last will and testament of Mary Waters, deceased.
Dated Oakland, January 5, 1895.
GEO. McFADDEN, Attorney for Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of MARGARET FISHER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Thomas F. Garrity, 861 Broadway street, rooms 1 and 2, in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased.

D. HOCKING,
Administrator of the estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased.
Dated Oakland, January 5, 1895.
THOMAS F. GARRITY, Attorney for Administrator, 861 Broadway.

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CHURCH CHAT.

Gleanings About the Doings of the Pastors.

The Texts Selected for the Sunday Services.

Changes in Some of the Parishes and the Reasons Therefor.

Rev. David Wetzell, for several years pastor at Portland, Or., but more recently of Woodland, Cal., one of the most popular preachers of his denomination on the coast, has been extended a call to become pastor of the First Christian Church, corner Thirteenth and Market streets. It is understood he has accepted the call and will begin his pastorate Sunday, January 13th, inst.

The Woodland *Mail* says: "Last Sunday Rev. Wetzell, pastor of the Christian Church of this city, presented his resignation to his official board. This action was in pursuance of the pastor's constraint to accept a call from the First Christian Church of Oakland. It goes without saying that Mr. Wetzell's prospective departure occasions sincere regret, not only among the earnest members of his flock, but with the community at large. During Mr. Wetzell's residence in Woodland the various Protestant churches of this city have worked together in a unity of spirit and sympathy to a greater degree than for many years; and the *Mail* believes every pastor in the city gives Mr. Wetzell a generous share of the credit for such a pleasant social and religious relationship. Fearless and uncompromising in defending what he believes to be right and decent, he has wielded a powerful influence upon the thought of the community, and what he has said will not be forgotten as soon as he is gone. And when, in years from now, the history of the Christian Church is written it will be said of David Wetzell that a more courageous, earnest, faithful, able preacher of the gospel never expounded God's word from its pulpit. Not long ago one of our "dyed-in-the-wool" Methodist sisters attended one of Mr. Wetzell's services. His sermon pleased her so that she confessed to her surprise that she should hear such good old-fashioned Methodist preaching in a Christian Church. Not long after this a good Baptist lady happening to hear one of the versatile clergyman's sermons declared that his theology was of the simon pure Baptist sort, just the kind she loved to hear. These are authentic instances, and are indicative of the broad gauge Christianity that inspires him. His hosts of friends in Woodland will wish him God-speed in his new field of labor."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. J. B. Koehne will speak morning and night, giving the opening discourses of a "Course on the Life of Christ." Morning topic: "Judaism Before Christ." Evening: "Paganism Before Christ."

BAPTIST MISSION, Campbell street—Preaching by Rev. L. T. Bush at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Gospel service Thursday evening.

ELMHURST—Rev. N. F. Hoyt will preach in Parsons' Hall at 11 A. M. Sunday school in the same place at 10 A. M. Gospel service Friday evening.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Tomorrow evening the Rev. C. H. Hobart begins a series of six sermons on the Prodigal Son. The following will be the topics: "Leaving Home," "Riotous Living," "A Mighty Famine," "Mental Equilibrium," "The Prodigal's Purpose," and "The Wanderer's Welcome."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, corner Thirteenth and Market streets—Rev. J. H. Hughes of San Jose will preach tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Dr. Sweeney of this city filling his pulpit at San Jose. Rev. Mr. Wetzell, the new pastor-elect, will inaugurate his pastorate one week from tomorrow, January 13th. The church has been without a regular pastor for over a year, and having enlarged its chapel, improved and re-furnished, it will begin the new year with active and regular work. Rev. Dr. Sweeney, who was pastor some eight years, has been filling the pulpit temporarily the past few months, severs his connection and gives over the charge to Rev. Wetzell, the pastor-elect.

FIRST ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, Fraternal Hall, Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor. Communion service 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Eucharist." Sunday school at 12 o'clock; 7:30 P. M. subject "The True Spiritual Life."

GOSPEL MISSION, 415 Eighth street—Bishop Hart and wife will speak at 3:30 P. M. Subject, "Full Salvation;" and Dr. W. O. Buckland, in the evening, at 7:15 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Harrison and Fourteenth streets—Rev. R. Ritchie, rector. The Epiphany. Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.; Litany and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6 P. M.; young men's Bible class, 6:30 P. M.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

EIGHTH AVENUE M. E. CHURCH—S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects: morning: "The Preparation Commanded by Christ." Evening: "Eternity." Epworth League at 6:30 P. M. Union services Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 7:30 P. M. in the following order: The Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, the Pilgrim Congregational Church, the Eighth Avenue M. E. Church, and the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Grove street, near Eighth—Floyd J. Mynard, rector; Benjamin Akerly, D. D., rector emeritus. The Epiphany—Morning prayer and Holy Communion, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 7:30 P. M.; sermons by the rector. Sunday school, 9:40 A. M.

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. C. M. Hill, pastor. Subjects: 10:30 A. M.—"The Heavenly Manna." 7:30 P. M.—"The Father's House," being the first of several short evening sermons on the Prodigal Son. Communion and reception of new members at the morning service.

ST. MARCUS' GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. A. Jatho, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject: "The Guiding Star."

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Mrs. Mercie M. Thirds, of Chicago, will lecture. Subject: "The Glory of the Masses," at the Theosophical Free Library Rooms, Hamilton Hall, at 7:15 P. M.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. C. W. Wendte preaches at 10:30 A. M. At 7:30 o'clock P. M. the first of a series of illustrated lectures. Topic: "Inspiration in Word, Picture, and Song." The illustration furnished by a stereopticon and the church choir.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Campbell Coyle will speak at 10:30 A. M. on "A Crossless Christianity," and at 7:30 Dr. Coyle will speak on "Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New." There will be preaching in the lecture room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Dupuy.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—There will be held five services in this church. The evangelist, Rev. C. H. Yatman, will speak at four of them as follows: At the regular services, at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. He will speak to women only at 3 P. M. He will address men only at 4 P. M., his theme being "Forty Wrestlers." The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will address a union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies at 6 P. M. The class meeting at 9:15 A. M. will be led by Rev. O. B. Smith and the Sunday school will be held at 12:30 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH, Filbert street, between Seventh and Eighth streets—Rev. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Communion after the evening service. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 A. M. Young people meet at 6:30 P. M. In Lorin we hold Sunday school at 2 P. M. in the German Methodist Episcopal Church. In East Oakland, in the Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, we will tomorrow at 3 P. M. open up a Swedish Sunday school. A. Nelson, leader. All Scandinavian children welcomed.

CHESTER STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, corner of Chester and Ninth streets—George W. Beatty, pastor. Rev. M. Shephard, the evangelist, will conduct the morning and evening services at 10:30 and 7:30 o'clock.

PROSPECT HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. E. Clark, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon: "Power and Value of Prayer." Evening subject: "What Wilt Thou Give Me to Do?"

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. A New Year's service at which the topic, "Our Church," will be considered from various view points by several speakers.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—In the morning the subject will be: "1895—Shall We Drift or Steer?" In the evening the pastor will speak on, "Sacramento Up to Date."

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Alfred Bayley will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. The pastor, G. H. Jones, preaches at the evening service. Subject: "Choosing the Service of God." The evening worship commences with song.

UNION STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Communion at morning service. Evening subject, "Eternal Youth in Heaven." Next week is the week of prayer, with nightly meetings.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. John Palmer acting pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. James R. Pierce, of the University of California, will supply the pulpit morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Secret of It." Evening subject; "Spiritual Opportunities."

ASBURY CHURCH—Corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets, Rev. G. Bough will preach at 10:10 A. M. on "The Need of the Age;" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Praising God Man's Duty." Sunday school at 9:15 A. M. and Epworth League at 6:15 P. M.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets—Rev. Cader Edwards Davis, minister, will preach at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "The Whole Counsel of God." At 3 P. M., there will be a "minister's congratulatory meeting"—all invited. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Subject of preaching, "On Unto Perfection."

Church Notes.

The revival meetings have now been in progress at the Methodist Church for one week and the public are becoming familiar with Mr. Yatman's methods and people generally are well pleased. He is a tremendous worker and is not satisfied with anything but thorough work. He preaches the old doctrines of repentance and restitution for sin, as far as possible. He magnifies manhood and womanhood and holds up Christ as the only possible means of present and final salvation. The meeting on Friday night was one of great power. All the denomination were represented and many ministers were present. Nine persons rose for prayers; some of them came to the altar and were converted. The meetings will continue every afternoon and night next week and the public are cordially invited.

Rev. J. B. Koehne of Pittsburg, Pa., begins tomorrow morning at the First Congregational Church, under the title of "The Nazarene or the Reasonableness of Christianity," a series of ten sermon-lectures on the life and mission of Jesus. These addresses will cover the ground of the World's preparation for Christ's coming; the Historical Environments of His birth; the Meaning of the Temptation; the revision of Old World religious theories made by the Sermon on the Mount; the Revelation of man's nature and destiny through a Transfigured life; the philosophy of the Miracles; the laws producing a new humanity set forth in His doctrines; the genius of the Disciples; the summing up of His nature and work in the Crucifixion; the study of the Political, Moral and Spiritual forces created by His Life.

Mr. Koehne, although yet a comparatively young man, has achieved an enviable reputation on the platform at the East. He several years ago conceived the idea of delivering before churches, colleges and other institutions a carefully prepared series of lectures upon the great theme now announced. Much time and labor has been expended upon the work. It is intended to be in popular form a presentation of Christian apologetics, or Christian evidences; a kind of supplementary evangelism, such as St. Paul performed in his second tour among the churches for the confirmation in faith of those previously convinced and converted.

Mr. Koehne will continue his addresses each evening next week and until completed. The following is the list of subjects: 1. Judaism Before Christ. 2. Paganism Before Christ. 3. Sermon on the Mount. 4. The Transfiguration. 5. The Miracles. 6. The Greater Doctrines of Jesus. 7. The Crucifixion. 8. The Genius of Christianity. 9. Modern Skepticism. 10. Christianity and Civilization. The addresses are free to the public; at 7:30 each evening.

The attendance at the annual meeting of the First Free Baptist Church on Wednesday evening was larger than that of any annual meeting for several years. C. H. Caswell, the treasurer, reported a reduction of the floating debt since June 1st from $556 to $300. The trustees elected for the ensuing year were: Phineas White, H. W. Snow, E. F. Burrill, Dr. F. E. Pierce, Charles A. Farnham, J. F. Seamans and S. P. Meads. In view of the fact that the acting pastor, Rev. John Palmer, can remain only till spring, the clerk was instructed to correspond with Rev. C. G. Mosher of Worcester, Mass., with a view of his taking the pastorate of the church about April 1st.

Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, preaches tomorrow upon the following themes: Morning, "Abundantly Satisfied." Evening, "Leaving Home," the first in a series upon the Prodigal Son. The Lord's supper will follow the regular morning service.

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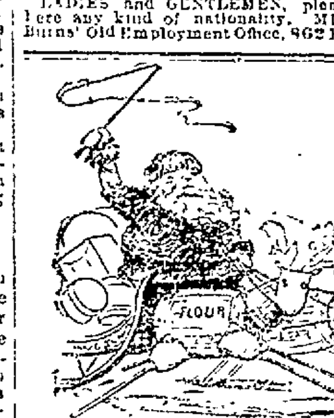

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B. McFADDEN,
Executor of the last will and testament of Mary Waters deceased.
Dated Oakland, January 5, 1895.
B. McFADDEN, Attorney for Executor.

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Estate of MARGARET FISHER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Thomas F. Garrity, 861 Broadway street, rooms 1 and 2, in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Margaret Fisher, deceased.

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THE WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, 5 P. M., January 5, 1895.

SYNOPSIS AND GENERAL FORECASTS.

The storm which has been central for several days on the Pacific coast to the northward is moving into the interior and is now central in Wyoming, while a trough-like depression extends northward throughout Idaho to Washington. All reports from Oregon and Washington are missing this morning, with the exception of Spokane, Portland and Roseburg, and since reports from this district have been missing since Thursday no changes can be observed and the progress of the storm's movement can only be estimated. Heavy rain has fallen throughout California during the past twenty-four hours except in the extreme southeast portion, the heaviest being in the center of the State, where it amounts to from 1 to 3 inches. Light rain or snow has fallen throughout Nevada and the States to the northward. The air pressure is rising throughout California and the greater portion of the storm has passed, although occasional showers are likely to occur.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 30 HOURS, ENDING AT 5 P. M., JANUARY 6, 1895:

Northern California—Scattered showers today or tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

Southern California—Local rain today, ending today or tonight, generally fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, light variable winds.

Nevada—Generally fair, probably slightly cooler.

Utah—Probably fair, slightly cooler tonight.

Arizona—Local rain in northwest portion, probably fair in the southeast portion, nearly stationary temperature.

SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY.

Showers today and tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON, Forecast Official.

SATURDAY.........JANUARY 5, 1895

EVERY self-respecting city in the State is preparing to follow Sacramento's example, and relieve itself of the lazy and the lawless. Where does Oakland stand?

LORD KELVIN estimates that the "running slow" of the earth in its daily rotation round its axis amounts to 20 seconds per century. Get ready to set your watches back at midnight, December 31, 1899.

THE "Industrial Army" is made up of vagrants, tramps and ex-convicts and its headquarters have been established at Franklin and Second streets. On Thursday night a burglary was committed in a store on Broadway, only a little more than a block away. Sacramento has been joining incidents of this kind in her experience, and so are men and women of a reflective turn of mind in this city.

AN effort is being made in interested quarters to nullify the effect of the act creating Oakland a sub-port of entry. That act places Oakland in exactly the same position in its relations to San Francisco as Tacoma and other sub-ports of Puget Sound bear to Port Angeles, the port of entry of that inland sea, and a vigorous protest should be raised by every citizen interested in Oakland's present and future welfare against any movement or measure which may, by indirection or otherwise, be designed to deprive it of its rights under the act. It is not a question of appointments that is involved, but rather the commercial emancipation of Oakland.

Two Sides to a Dicker.

The Alameda *Encinal* thinks that the wooing of Pasadena by Los Angeles, with the view of annexation, and Pasadena's rejection on the ground that "a big nasty man around the house, smoking tobacco and drinking beer," would spoil her enjoyment of her womanly rights, will apply to Oakland. The *Encinal* is a trifle off in its application. Pasadena rejects annexation proposals because she is a prohibition village, and desires to remain such, whereas union with Los Angeles would let in the liquor traffic into her domain. Alameda has rejected Oakland's advances for annexation because her people fear that they will not get as much official pap as they are now getting. There can be no other sound reason for that city's position. There is not very much difference between the two cities now as to taxation, and there are many advantages which Alameda would enjoy which she does not enjoy now, and which she cannot, at the present rate of taxation, afford to pay for, were she annexed to Oakland. If the Oakland water front suit, recently argued before the Supreme Court of the United States, is settled in favor of Oakland on the basis of the act of 1852, there will be some other advantages on the line of the estuary which she will be unable to enjoy without paying tribute to this city, for under that act the high water mark along the south side of the estuary is made the southern line of the property transferred by the State to the town of Oakland in trust for commercial purposes. If ever Oakland and Alameda are united it will, therefore, be found that the latter will be quite as much the gainer as the former. It may take time to educate Alameda to that way of thinking, for some people in this [illegible] slow at learning.

The Drift of Immigration.

Every civilized nation except the United States is engaged in systematically disposing of its surplus population. The same is true, also, of some of the semi-civilized nations of the Orient. Russia gets rid of her surplus by expulsion. Such edicts are usually directed to a race, and the Hebrews have been the chief sufferers. It is a matter of total indifference to Russia whence the evicted go. They may scatter among her neighbors or emigrate across the seas in search of new homes and a country where their presence will be tolerated. Russia takes no interest in their movements once they are outside of her dominions.

Great Britain has provided for her surplus population for generations past through her colonies. She has helped emigrants to reach these colonies and has given them a fair start there to acquire an independent livelihood. In later times France and Italy have gone into the colonization business. Spain and Portugal have been in a state of decadence since they lost their American possessions, and their surplus population must shift for itself. China has been disposing of some of its surplus under the coolie labor system, and the islands of the Pacific and the Pacific shores of the two Americas have received it.

The United States is the only independent nation of any note that has been without a surplus population up to a late date. This country has, to the contrary, been inviting immigrants to its shores and offering inducements to them to settle upon its unoccupied lands. In this matter the Government has been ardently seconded by the subsidized railroad companies. Their agents have been scattered all over Europe drumming up prospective settlers on railroad lands.

As the only country, therefore, that was making special exertions toward acquiring additional population, the United States has been naturally the center of attraction of all other nations. Evictions in Russia have been followed by a large addition to the foreign population of the United States. A steady stream has been flowing for years from the British Isles and Germany and Scandinavia.

There is a limit to all things. The capacity of the United States to absorb the surplus population of other nations is no exception to the rule. The country has for years been approaching that limit. In the judgment of some enlightened publicists we have reached it already. The frequency of labor troubles, the lowering of wages, the overproduction of the fruits of the soil and the mill are accepted as signs of the limits of the country to absorb population.

The results of the investigations of the Immigration Restriction League of Boston offer strong testimony in support of this theory. From 1820 to 1892, inclusive, the league finds that the United States has absorbed 16,497,096 of the surplus population of other nations. That is equivalent to one-fourth the present estimated population of the country. Much of this population may be fairly classed as an unobjectionable acquisition. But of late years the country has suffered from the immigration of a very undesirable class—ignorant, poor and criminal. The census of 1880 showed that although the foreign element in the country constituted one-seventh of the total population it furnished one-third the paupers. The census of 1890 makes a more unwelcome showing. Persons of foreign birth and parentage under that census constitute 38 per cent of the total population—a little over one-third—but it contributes one-half of our criminals—two-thirds of the inmates of our reformatories and about two-thirds of the paupers in the almshouses!

Another unwelcome feature in this immigration of later years is its illiteracy. Of the 440,793 immigrants who came here in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, 57,897 over 16 years of age could not read, 59,582 could not write, and 61,038 could neither read nor write! No wonder that restricted immigration should develop into the living question of the day.

The changes which the Immigration Restriction League recommends in our immigration laws is that every immigrant shall pay a certain sum of money on landing; that he shall pass an educational test; that he shall be provided with a consular certificate at his port of embarkation. If anything, these suggestions do not go far enough. Before the flood from abroad can be stopped, restrictive measures of a much severer order than these will have to be adopted. But we are fast approaching the day when it will have to be stopped in the interest of self-preservation.

THE Lexow Senate Commission gave its services without pay. The Constitution of New York State prohibits a member of the Legislature from receiving compensation for legislative work performed outside of the legislative session. The Lexow Commission spent four months at Albany engaged with other legislators in the transaction of legislative work; for that the members received their per diem. But for the 100 days which they surrendered to the investigation they will receive no compensation. The commission adjourned *sine die* at the close of the year, having reached the end of its legal existence, but the members have expressed the hope that some method will be devised to continue the investigation this year.

SAYS an Eastern exchange: "It is possible that Count von Bismarck will visit Florida this winter, and already the favored few are anticipating brilliant entertainments in his honor." That information was given out before the frosty weather set in in Florida. After learning of the destruction of the Floridan orange groves by frost, Bismarck may revise his intentions and conclude that Florida's winter is no milder than that of Germany. The old Chancellor ought to come to California if he wants a pleasant semi-tropical climate. We will vouch that the welcome thrown in here will be quite as hearty and possibly heartier than the Everglade State can give him.

The New Owner of the "Call."

For the second time in its history, the San Francisco *Morning Call* has changed ownership. The four men who founded the paper, three of whom are still living, parted with the property in its infancy, at private sale, and one of them has since held a subordinate position on its editorial staff. Yesterday, the paper passed out of the hands of the proprietary of a quarter of a century, by public auction, into the hands of Charles M. Shortridge of San Jose, who bought it for $360,000. Mr. Shortridge has been long known as the proprietor and editor of the San Jose *Mercury*, and as one of the best and most enterprising and energetic newspaper men in the State. So far, he has labored in a restricted field; but he has given the city of San Jose one of the best newspapers printed in the State, outside the metropolis. Mr. Shortridge is young, bright and popular. With such a man at the helm, the *Call* will take on a new lease of life and enter upon a new and vigorous career of enterprise and usefulness.

CAPTAIN WHITELAW, the wrecker, is in hard luck. Three or four years ago he lost the wrecking steamer T. H. Whitelaw off Point Reyes, while engaged in the precarious business of recovering the flotsam and jetsam of the sea from a stranded vessel. He then began the construction at the Alameda Point shipyards of a new wrecking steamer of exceptional strength and power, but "hard times" came when the vessel was half built, and work had to be suspended. The craft has been dryrotting on the stocks ever since. Meantime, Whitelaw converted the old dredger Samson into a wrecking schooner and she has been used effectively at various points on the coast. Latterly, the Samson has been wrecking the standed Mail steamship The City of New York, off Point Bonita, and was anchored there when the December storms set in. She rode out all the gales successfully until yesterday; the wind then was too strong for her and she dragged her anchors, drifted ashore, took fire and has become a total wreck herself. Besides, it is feared that the wreck has been accompanied by loss of life. Captain Whitelaw was at one time regarded as one of the luckiest men on the San Francisco water front. The tide of fortune seems to have turned against him of late years. He is plucky and enterprising and one of the most capable men who ever entered the dangerous business of wrecking and is deserving of success.

THE "General" of the "Industrial Army" is said to have given instructions to the vagabonds who have enlisted under his colors not to accept work offered them for less than $2 per day, and to go to the back door of all houses to solicit alms, and it neither money nor food is given them in response to such solicitation to help themselves to anything they see and can carry off. There are some houses in this city where liberal contributions of buckshot will follow any attempt which may be made to carry out Kelley's instructions.

THE present Council is evidently shaping the affairs of the city so that public improvements shall be a leading issue in the coming municipal campaign. It is a good thing to do. No better issue can be made. No other issue that can be suggested is of such vital interest and importance to the present and future of the city. The Council is entitled to every encouragement in the good work.

THE Board of Education of Mt. Vernon, Ill., has decided that cigarette-smoking boys may not attend public schools. They must give up smoking or be expelled. A rule like that would be a good one to be adopted by every Board of Education in this State. It would soon put an end to the "cigarette habit"—one of the most debasing vices of the times—if enforced.

Life.

Ah, brief is life,
Love's short sweet way,
With dreamings rife,
And then—good day.

And life is vain—
Hope's vague delight,
Grief's transient pain,
And then—good night.
—*The Independent.*

Was Napoleon or Wellington the better fighter? Dr. Price's commands the baking powders.

RANDOM NOTES.

The voting list of the city of Boston contains the names of 11,200 women who registered so as to be able to vote on school questions.

Rural labor is so cheap in some regions East in winter that a farmer with a small crop of grain can have it flailed out cheaper than he can have it thrashed by steam.

Americans are not a stuck-up people, even if they do use 12,000,0000 postage stamps a day.

In Holland railroad managers are held to a strict personal responsibility for the safety of their passengers. As a result railroad accidents are rare and an average of only one death a year results from them.

In Florence, Italy, the Salvation Army has done great work. It has pitched its tents in the Palazzo Rinuccini, famous as the esplanade surrounding the house owned by the Medici. The work of the army has the cordial aid of the municipal authorities.

This is the official mourning dress prescribed at the English court for the late Emperor of Russia: For a fortnight ladies will wear black dresses, white gloves, black or white shoes, feathers and fans, pearls, diamonds or plain gold or silver ornaments; then, for another fortnight, black dresses, with colored ribbons, flowers, feathers and ornaments, or gray or white dresses, with black ribbons, etc. The gentlemen will wear black court dresses, with black swords and buckles through the whole period. The court went out of mourning on December 5th.

The Inspector General of Russian prisons has recently published a report which shows a terrible condition of life on one of the Russian penal islands. During the current year 2000 convicts of both sexes have been transported from European Russia to Saghalien, besides a number of women and children who have voluntarily followed their husbands and fathers into penal banishment. The report calls for immediate action upon the part of the Government.

The total number of students in the seven leading universities are as follows: Harvard, 3293; University of Michigan, 2683; Yale, 2373; University of Pennsylvania, 2348; Columbia, 1816; Cornell, 1777; Princeton 1109.—*Princetonian.*

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APPROPRIATE.

Husband—Dr. Foot, the chiropodist, will dine with us today.

Wife—All right; I'll order corned beef.—*Home Journal.*

THE IDEA.

Clara—While I was playing whist with Mrs. Singleton last evening she asked me what was the trump at least six times.

Maude—Weren't you provoked?

Clara—I should say so! As if I knew!—*Puck.*

A SAVING REASON.

"But what earthly use is it to discover the North Pole! I can't see."

"It will save future expeditions."—*Harper's Bazar.*

AN ADVANTAGEOUS VOCATION.

"Why do I follow the vocation of a wandering tramp?" said the peripatetic scarecrow. "I'll tell ye, marm. A tramp don't have to pay no tips to waiters."—*Boston Transcript.*

A VALUABLE RECIPE.

Recipe for making restaurant chicken salad should begin: "First, catch your calf."—*Texas Siftings.*

THE VILLAINS STILL PURSUING HIM.

Conductor (shaking sleepy passenger)—Ticket, please?

Englishman (who had been sixteen hours in this country)—Really, now, you know, I have hardly seen enough of America yet to be able to give my impressions of it, but it strikes me—Oh, I beg your pardon! I thought it was another blawsted reporter.—*Chicago Tribune.*

A CATASTROPHE.

"Mrs. O'Leary, phwat do be the matter wid thot goat? Is it diluvian thrimmins, it hov?"

"Worse. He hov been atin' so many ballet girruls aff the bill-boards that he caught the skirrut dancin' carzo."—*Judge.*

AN IMPUDENT FELLOW.

A girl at Rotterdam, near Sheffield, is as mad as a badger because a young puppy has written this in her album of favorite quotations:

Oh, woman in our hours of ease,
Uncertain, coy, and hard to please;
Yet—barring pins—how soft to squeeze!
—*London Telegraph.*

SPOILED BY OVERDOING.

Cholly (on his knees)—Maud, you have intoxicated me with your charms.

Maud—Pshaw! You're no match for me.

Cholly—Why not?

Maud—You get drunk too easily—*Town Topics.*

PASSING STRANGE.

"I've been pondering over a very singular thing."

"What is it?"

"How putting a ring on a woman's third finger should place you under that woman's thumb."—*Life.*

Columbus never made a greater discovery than the housewives of America discovered in Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

BITS OF GOSSIP.

Congressman Thomas Dunn English, who is popularly known in Washington now, since Du Maurier revived the vogue of his song, as "Ben Bolt," is said to be almost blind. He walks about the halls of Congress with the vague facial expression of a man groping in the dark.

It is related of Alexandre Dumas that he took such interest in his literary creations that he said to his son, who was disturbed by seeing him plunged in melancholy: "Porthos is dead. I have just killed him. And I can't help weeping over him. Poor Porthos!" Quite different were the emotions of Conan Doyle, who having killed poor Sherlock Holmes, went gayly out and celebrated, like a true Englishman, with a big supper.

Mrs. Oliphant never touches a pen in the daytime.

The old Duke of Cambridge, the "soldiers' friend," has now been fifty years in the British Army, and for thirty-five years has served as its commander-in-chief.

At a sale in Paris lately of works by Charles Jacque, the animal painter, "Le Grand Troupeau" brought 30,000 francs; "Troupeau de de Vaches a l'Abreuvoir," 12,030 francs; "Rentree de Troupeau," 10,000 francs; "Sortie du Village," 13,050 francs.

The Empress Frederick is once more residing in her Berlin palace. She has been away nine months while family troubles were being quietly arranged.

Dr. Edward S. Holden of Lick Observatory has been made by Saxe-Meiningen a commander of the Saxe-Ernestine order.

Edison's great grandfather died at 102, his grandfather at 103 and one of his aunts at 108, while his father is alive at 90.

Several reasons have been given for Archbishop Corrigan's lenient treatment of the pugnacious Father Ducey, and the most plausible one is that Father Ducey practically owns his church, St. Leo's, which is one of the most fashionable in the city and was built through the efforts of the priest. In fact, Father Ducey, who was once very wealthy, put most of the money into this church and now holds a mortgage, which practically controls it. As one of the members says: "I believe that if the Archbishop should take summary measures with Father Ducey the latter could go out of the church and take St. Leo with him."

Among the letters written by Dr. Holmes was one to Charles Follen Adams, acknowledging the receipt of his dialect poem, "Dot Long Handled Dipper," in which the genial autocrat said: "I thank you for the fresh draught from this long-handled tin dipper, which you have made a rival to the 'Old Oaken Bucket.' Some of my best drinks when I was a boy of 15 at Andover were from a cocoanut dipper, but that was not destined to immortality, like the more fortunate receptacles. I have always had a great liking for Yawcob and his young hopeful, and I hope they will long continue to make the world happier by their domestic history and family portraits."

The Pope recently gave orders for the construction of his tomb. Professor Lucchetti is to attend to the architectural part, and Eugenio Macagni will be the sculptor. The tomb will be in the basilica, Santa Maria Maggiore. Pius VI was the last Pope buried there.

Queen Victoria has never entered a shop since the death of the Prince Consort.

I Wonder.

I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year,
Will it be midnight or morning,
And who will bend over my bier?

What a hideous fancy to come,
As I wait at the foot of the stair,
While Eleanor gives the last touch
To her robes, or the rose in her hair!

"Do I like your new dress, pompadour?
And do I like you?"—on my life,
You are eighteen, and not a day more,
And haven't been six years my wife!

Those two rosy boys upstairs
In the crib, are not ours! To be sure,
You're just a sweet bride in her bloom,
All sunshine and snowy and pure!

As the carriage rolls down the dark street,
The little wife laughs and makes cheer;
But—I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year!
—*Thomas Bailey Aldrich.*

MARVELOUS EXPANSION.

An Amusing Experience in a Street Car.

New York Herald.

When I entered a Madison avenue car the other day I found the seats entirely occupied and had to content myself with the support of a strap and the hope that one of the other twenty-two passengers would soon alight. As I stood head and shoulders above the others and took a census of the passengers, I found that there were ten women on one side and ten women and two men on the other side.

One of the men I recognized, for we had been friends of long standing. I knew that his home was near and patiently waited for his departure. When Eightieth street was reached he rose from his seat, and—I didn't sit down, for the ladies shook out their sleeves, separated a little and eleven persons filled the space that had been occupied by twelve.

I changed my clinging hand from the right to the left and settled into the conviction that I must stand until I reached my destination at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Then my sunken hopes were revived by the lady next to the man signaling the conductor to stop. She left the car, but no room for me, for the nine ladies again stirred, shook another reef from their sleeves, and the seat was entirely filled. I clung to the strap with both hands.

When we reached One Hundred and Twentieth street the one other man rose to go and, without looking behind, I followed him, to walk the remainder of the distance, for I did not want to be a witness to the result of the effort of the nine women to further expand.

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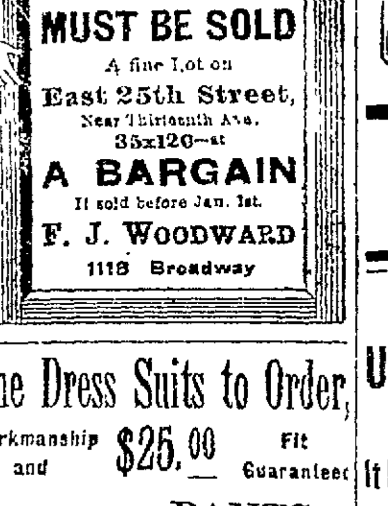

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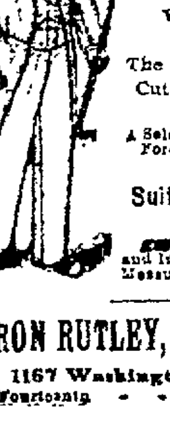

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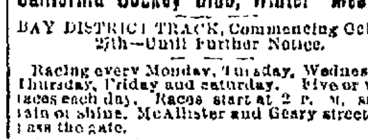

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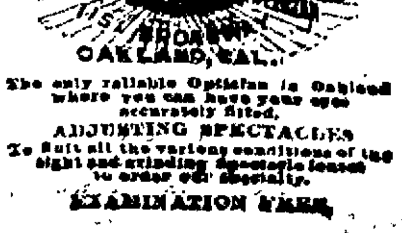

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THE WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 5 1895.
SYNOPSIS AND GENERAL FORECASTS.

The storm which has been central for several days on the Pacific coast to the northward is moving into the interior and is now central in Wyoming while a trough like depression extends northward throughout Idaho to Washington. All reports from Oregon and Washington are missing this morning with the exception of Spokane, Portland and Roseburg, and since reports from this district have been missing since Thursday no changes can be observed and the progress of the storm's movement can only be estimated. Heavy rain has fallen throughout California during the last twenty-four hours except in the extreme southeast portion, the heaviest being in the center of the State where it amounts to from 1 to 3 inches. Light rain or snow has fallen throughout Nevada and the States to the northward. The air pressure is rising throughout California and the greater portion of the storm has passed, although occasional showers are likely to occur.

FORECAST MADE AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING AT 5 P. M., JANUARY 6 1895.

Northern California—Scattered showers today or tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

Southern California—Local rain today ending today or tonight, generally fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, light variable winds.

Nevada—Generally fair, probably slightly cooler.

Utah—Probably fair, slightly cooler to night.

Arizona—Local rain in northwest portion, probably fair in the southeast portion, nearly stationary temperature.

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Showers today and tonight, probably fair Sunday, nearly stationary temperature, fresh southerly winds.

W. H. HAMMON,
Forecast Official.

SATURDAY, . . . JANUARY 5 1895

Every self-respecting city in the State is preparing to follow Sacramento's example, and relieve itself of the lazy and the lawless. Where does Oakland stand?

LORD KELVIN estimates that the "running slow" of the earth in its daily rotation round its axis amounts to 20 seconds per century. Get ready to set your watches back at midnight, December 31, 1899.

THE "Industrial Army" is made up of vagrants, tramps and ex-convicts and its headquarters have been established at Franklin and Second streets. On Thursday night a burglary was committed in a store on Broadway, only a little more than a block away. Sacramento has been joining incidents of this kind in her experience, and so are men and women of a reflective turn of mind in this city.

AN effort is being made in interested quarters to nullify the effect of the act creating Oakland a sub-port of entry. That act places Oakland in exactly the same position in its relations to San Francisco as Tacoma and other sub-ports of Puget Sound bear to Port Angeles, the port of entry of that inland sea, and a vigorous protest should be raised by every citizen interested in Oakland's present and future welfare against any movement or measure which may, by induction or otherwise, be designed to deprive it of its rights under the act. It is not a question of appointments that is involved, but rather the commercial emancipation of Oakland.

Two Sides to a Dicker.

The Alameda *Encinal* thinks that the wooing of Pasadena by Los Angeles, with the view of annexation, and Pasadena's rejection on the ground that "a big nasty man around the house smoking tobacco and drinking beer," would spoil her enjoyment of her womanly rights, will apply to Oakland. The *Encinal* is a trifle off in its application. Pasadena rejects annexation proposals because she is a prohibition village, and desires to remain such, whereas union with Los Angeles would let in the liquor traffic into her domain. Alameda has rejected Oakland's advances for annexation because her people fear that they will not get as much official pap as they are now getting. There can be no other sound reason for that city's position. There is not very much difference between the two cities now as to taxation, and there are many advantages which Alameda would enjoy which she does not enjoy now, and which she cannot, at the present rate of taxation, afford to pay for, were she annexed to Oakland. If the Oakland water front suit, recently argued before the Supreme Court of the United States, is settled in favor of Oakland on the basis of the act of 1852, there will be some other advantages on the line of the estuary which she will be unable to enjoy without paying tribute to this city, for under that act the high water mark along the south side of the estuary is made the southern line of the property transferred by the State to the town of Oakland in trust for commercial purposes. If ever Oakland and Alameda are united it will, therefore, be found that the latter will be quite as much the gainer as the former. It may take time to educate Alameda to that way of thinking, for some people in this world are very slow at learning.

The Drift of Immigration.

Every civilized nation except the United States is engaged in systematically disposing of its surplus population. The same is true, also, of some of the semi-civilized nations of the Orient. Russia gets rid of her surplus by expulsion. Such edicts are usually directed to a race, and the Hebrews have been the chief sufferers. It is a matter of total indifference to Russia whence the evicted go. They may scatter among her neighbors or emigrate across the seas in search of new homes and a country where their presence will be tolerated. Russia takes no interest in their movements once they are outside of her dominions.

Great Britain has provided for her surplus population for generations past through her colonies. She has helped emigrants to reach these colonies and has given them a fair start there to acquire an independent livelihood. In later times France and Italy have gone into the colonization business. Spain and Portugal have been in a state of decadence since they lost their American possessions, and their surplus population must shift for itself. China has been disposing of some of its surplus under the coolie labor system, and the islands of the Pacific and the Pacific shores of the two Americas have received it.

The United States is the only independent nation of any note that has been without a surplus population up to a late date. This country has, to the contrary, been inviting immigrants to its shores and offering inducements to them to settle upon its unoccupied lands. In this matter the Government has been ardently seconded by the subsidized railroad companies. Their agents have been scattered all over Europe drumming up prospective settlers on railroad lands.

As the only country, therefore, that was making special exertions toward acquiring additional population, the United States has been naturally the center of attraction of all other nations. Evictions in Russia have been followed by a large addition to the foreign population of the United States. A steady stream has been flowing for years from the British Isles and Germany and Scandinavia.

There is a limit to all things. The capacity of the United States to absorb the surplus population of other nations is no exception to the rule. The country has for years been approaching that limit. In the judgment of some enlightened publicists we have reached it already. The frequency of labor troubles, the lowering of wages, the overproduction of the fruits of the soil and the mill are accepted as signs of the limits of the country to absorb population.

The results of the investigations of the Immigration Restriction League of Boston offer strong testimony in support of this theory. From 1820 to 1892, inclusive, the league finds that the United States has absorbed 16,197,096 of the surplus population of other nations. That is equivalent to one-fourth the present estimated population of the country. Much of this population may be fairly classed as an unobjectionable acquisition. But of late years the country has suffered from the immigration of a very undesirable class—ignorant, poor and criminal. The census of 1880 showed that although the foreign element in the country constituted one-seventh of the total population it furnished one-third the paupers. The census of 1890 makes a more unwelcome showing. Persons of foreign birth and parentage under that census constitute 35 per cent of the total population—a little over one-third—but it contributes one-half of our criminals—two-thirds of the inmates of our reformatories and about two-thirds of the paupers in the almshouses!

Another unwelcome feature in the immigration of later years is its illiteracy. Of the 440,793 immigrants who came here in the fiscal year ending June 30 1894, 67,507 over 16 years of age could not read, 59,582 could not write, and 61,038 could neither read nor write! No wonder that restricted immigration should develop into the living question of the day.

The changes which the Immigration Restriction League recommends in our immigration laws is that every immigrant shall pay a certain sum of money on landing, that he shall pass an educational test, that he shall be provided with a consular certificate at his port of embarkation. If anything, these suggestions do not go far enough. Before the flood from abroad can be stopped, restrictive measures of a much severer order than these will have to be adopted. But we are fast approaching the day when it will have to be stopped in the interest of self-preservation.

THE Lexow Senate Commission gave its services without pay. The Constitution of New York State prohibits a member of the Legislature from receiving compensation for legislative work performed outside of the legislative session. The Lexow Commission spent four months at Albany engaged with other legislators in the transaction of legislative work, for that the members received their per diem. But for the 100 days which they surrendered to the investigation they will receive no compensation. The commission adjourned sine die at the close of the year, having reached the end of its legal existence, but the members have expressed the hope that some method will be devised to continue the investigation this year.

Says an Eastern exchange: "It is possible that Count von Bismarck will visit Florida this winter, and already the favored few are anticipating brilliant entertainments in his honor." That information was given out before the frosty weather set in in Florida. After learning of the destruction of the Floridan orange groves by frost, Bismarck may revise his intentions and conclude that Florida's winter is no milder than that of Germany. The old Chancellor ought to come to California if he wants a pleasant semi-tropical climate. We will vouch that the welcome thrown in here will be quite as hearty and possibly heartier than the Everglade State can give him.

The New Owner of the "Call."

For the second time in its history, the San Francisco *Morning Call* has changed ownership. The four men who founded the paper, three of whom are still living, parted with the property in its infancy, at private sale, and one of them has since held a subordinate position on its editorial staff. Yesterday, the paper passed out of the hands of the proprietary of a quarter of a century, by public auction, into the hands of Charles M. Shortridge of San Jose, who bought it for $360,000. Mr. Shortridge has been long known as the proprietor and editor of the San Jose *Mercury*, and as one of the best and most enterprising and energetic newspaper men in the State. So far, he has labored in a restricted field, but he has given the city of San Jose one of the best newspapers printed in the State, outside the metropolis. Mr. Shortridge is young, bright and popular. With such a man at the helm, the *Call* will take on a new lease of life and enter upon a new and vigorous career of enterprise and usefulness.

CAPTAIN WHITELAW, the wrecker, is in hard luck. Three or four years ago he lost the wrecking steamer T. H. Whitelaw off Point Reyes, while engaged in the precarious business of recovering the flotsam and jetsam of the sea from a stranded vessel. He then began the construction at the Alameda Point shipyards of a new wrecking steamer of exceptional strength and power, but "hard times" came when the vessel was half built, and work had to be suspended. The craft has been dryrotting on the stocks ever since. Meantime, Whitelaw converted the old dredger Samson into a wrecking schooner and she has been used effectively at various points on the coast. Latterly, the Samson has been wrecking the stranded Mail steamship The City of New York, off Point Lobos, and was anchored there when the December storms set in. She rode out all the gales successfully until yesterday, the wind then was too strong for her and she dragged her anchors, drifted ashore, took fire and has become a total wreck herself. Besides, it is feared that the wreck has been accompanied by loss of life. Captain Whitelaw was at one time regarded as one of the luckiest men on the San Francisco water front. The tide of fortune seems to have turned against him of late years. He is plucky and enterprising and one of the most capable men who ever entered the dangerous business of wrecking and is deserving of success.

THE "General" of the "Industrial Army" is said to have given instructions to the vagabonds who have enlisted under his colors not to accept work offered them for less than $2 per day, and to go to the back door of all houses to solicit alms, and if neither money nor food is given them in response to such solicitation to help themselves to anything they see and can carry off. There are some houses in this city where liberal contributions of buckshot will follow any attempt which may be made to carry out Kelley's instructions.

THE present Council is evidently shaping the affairs of the city so that public improvements shall be a leading issue in the coming municipal campaign. It is a good thing to do. No better issue can be made. No other issue that can be suggested is of such vital interest and importance to the present and future of the city. The Council is entitled to every encouragement in the good work.

THE Board of Education of Mt. Vernon, Ill., has decided that cigarette-smoking boys may not attend public schools. They must give up smoking or be expelled. A rule like that would be a good one to be adopted by every Board of Education in this State. It would soon put an end to the "cigarette habit"—one of the most debasing vices of the times—if enforced.

Life

Ah brief is life
Love a short sweet way,
With dreamings rife
And then—good day.

And life is vain—
Hope a vague delight
Grief's transient pain
And then—good night.
—*The Independent*

Was Napoleon or Wellington the better fighter? Dr. Price's commands the baking powders.

RANDOM NOTES

The voting list of the city of Boston contains the names of 11,200 women who registered so as to be able to vote on school questions.

Rural labor is so cheap in some regions East in winter that a farmer with a small crop of grain can have it flailed out cheaper than he can have it thrashed by steam.

Americans are not a stuck-up people, even if they do use 12,000,0000 postage stamps a day.

In Holland railroad managers are held to a strict personal responsibility for the safety of their passengers. As a result railroad accidents are rare and an average of only one death a year results from them.

In Florence, Italy, the Salvation Army has done great work. It has pitched its tents in the Palazzo Rinuccini, famous as the esplanade surrounding the house owned by the Medici. The work of the army has the cordial aid of the municipal authorities.

This is the official mourning dress prescribed at the English court for the late Emperor of Russia. For a fortnight ladies will wear black dresses, white gloves, black or white shoes, feathers and fans, pearls, diamonds or plain gold or silver ornaments, then, for another fortnight, black dresses, with colored ribbons, flowers, feathers and ornaments, or gray or white dresses, with black ribbons, etc. The gentlemen will wear black court dresses, with black swords and buckles through the whole period. The court went out of mourning on December 5th.

The Inspector General of Russian prisons has recently published a report which shows a terrible condition of life on one of the Russian penal islands. During the current year 2000 convicts of both sexes have been transported from European Russia to Saghalien, besides a number of women and children who have voluntarily followed their husbands and fathers into penal banishment. The report calls for immediate action upon the part of the Government.

The total number of students in the seven leading universities are as follows. Harvard, 3290, University of Michigan, 2683, Yale 2573, University of Pennsylvania, 2318, Columbia, 1816, Cornell, 1777, Princeton 1109.—*Princetonian.*

MIRTHFUL MORSELS.

APPROPRIATE.

Husband—Dr. Foot, the chiropodist, will dine with us today.

Wife—All right, I'll order corned beef.—*Home Journal*

THE IDEA.

Clara—While I was playing whist with Mrs. Singleton last evening she asked me what was the trump at least six times.

Maude—Weren't you provoked?

Clara—I should say so! As if I knew!—*Puck.*

A SAVING REASON.

"But what earthly use is it to discover the North Pole? I can't see."

"It will save future expeditions."—*Harper's Bazar.*

AN ADVANTAGEOUS VOCATION.

'Why do I follow the vocation of a wandering tramp?' said the peripatetic scarecrow. 'I'll tell ye, mum. A tramp don't have to pay no tips to waiters.'—*Boston Transcript.*

A VALUABLE RECIPE.

Recipe for making restaurant chicken salad should begin "First, catch your calf."—*Texas Siftings*

THE VILLAINS STILL PURSUING HIM.

Conductor (shaking sleepy passenger)—Ticket, please?

Englishman (who had been sixteen hours in this country)—Really, now, you know, I have hardly seen enough of America yet to be able to give my impressions of it, but it strikes me—Oh I beg your pardon! I thought it was another blawsted reporter.—*Chicago Tribune.*

A CATASTROPHE.

"Mrs. O'Leary, phwat do be the matter wid that goat? Is it diluvian thrimmins he hov?"

"Worse. He hov been atin' so many ballet girls aff th' bill-boards that he caught the skurrut dancin' carze."—*Judge.*

AN IMPUDENT FELLOW.

A girl at Rotterdam, near Sheffield, is as mad as a badger because a young puppy has written this in her album of favorite quotations:

Oh woman in our hours of ease
Uncertain coy and hard to please
Yet—sitting thus—how soft to squeeze!
—*London Telegraph.*

SPOILED BY KNEELING.

Cholly (on his knees)—Maud, you have intoxicated me with your charms.

Maud—Pshaw! You're no match for me.

Cholly—Why not?

Maud—You got drunk too easily.—*Town Topics.*

PASSING STRANGE.

"I've been pondering over a very singular thing."

"What is it?"

"How putting a ring on a woman's third finger should place you under that woman's thumb."—*Life.*

Columbus never made a greater discovery than the housewives of America discovered in Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

BITS OF GOSSIP.

Congressman Thomas Dunn English, who is popularly known in Washington now, since Du Maurier revived the vogue of his song, as "Ben Bolt" is said to be almost blind. He walks about the halls of Congress with the vague facial expression of a man groping in the dark.

It is related of Alexandre Dumas that he took such interest in his literary creations that he said to his son, who was disturbed by seeing him plunged in melancholy "Porthos is dead. I have just killed him. And I can't help weeping over him. Poor Porthos!" Quite different were the emotions of Conan Doyle, who having killed poor Sherlock Holmes, went gayly out and celebrated, like a true Englishman, with a big supper.

Mrs. Oliphant never touches a pen in the daytime.

The old Duke of Cambridge, the "soldiers' friend," has now been fifty years in the British Army, and for thirty-five years has served as its commander-in-chief.

At a sale in Paris lately of works by Charles Jacque, the animal painter, "Le Grand Troupeau" brought 40,000 francs, "Troupeau de Vaches a l'Abreuvoir," 12,000 francs, "Rentree de Troupeau," 13,000 francs, "Sortie du Village," 13,050 francs.

The Empress Frederick is once more residing in her Berlin palace. She has been away nine months while family troubles were being quietly arranged.

Dr. Edward S. Holden of Lick Observatory has been made by Saxe-Meiningen a commander of the Saxe-Ernestine order.

Edison's great grandfather died at 102, his grandfather at 103 and one of his aunts at 108, while his father is alive at 90.

Several reasons have been given for Archbishop Corrigan's lenient treatment of the pugnacious Father Ducey, and the most plausible one is that Father Ducey practically owns his church St. Leo's, which is one of the most fashionable in the city and was built through the efforts of the priest. In fact, Father Ducey, who was once very wealthy, put most of the money into this church and now holds a mortgage, which practically controls it. As one of the members says "I believe that if the Archbishop should take summary measures with Father Ducey the latter could go out of the church and take St Leo with him."

Among the letters written by Dr. Holmes was one to Charles Follen Adams, acknowledging the receipt of his dialect poem, "Dot Long Handled Dipper," in which the genial autocrat said "I thank you for the fresh draught from this long-handled tin dipper, which you have made a rival to the 'Old Oaken Bucket.' Some of my best drinks when I was a boy of 15 at Andover were from a cocoanut dipper, but that was not destined to immortality, like the more fortunate receptacles. I have always had a great liking for Yawcob and his young hopeful, and I hope they will long continue to make the world happier by their domestic history and family portraits."

The Pope recently gave orders for the construction of his tomb. Professor Lucchetti is to attend to the architectural part, and Eugenio Maccagni will be the sculptor. The tomb will be in the basilica, Santa Maria Maggiore. Pius VI was the last Pope buried there.

Queen Victoria has never entered a shop since the death of the Prince Consort.

I Wonder

I wonder what day of the week
I wonder what month of the year,
Will it be midnight or morning,
And who will bend over my bier?

What a hideous fancy to come
As I wait at the foot of the stair
While Lilian gives the last touch
To her robes or the rose in her hair.

"Do I like your new dress pompadour?
And do I? Well—on my life,
You are eighteen and not a day more,
And haven't been six years my wife."

Those two rosy boys upstairs
In the crib are not mine, to be sure
You're just a sweet bride in life's bloom,
All as fine and snowy and pure.

As the carriage rolls down the dark street,
Little wife laughs and makes cheer,
But—I wonder what day of the week
I wonder what month of the year.
—*Thomas Bailey Aldrich.*

MARVELOUS EXPANSION.

An Amusing Experience in a Street Car.

New York Herald.

When I entered a Madison avenue car the other day I found the seats entirely occupied and had to content myself with the support of a strap, and the hope that one of the other twenty-two passengers would soon alight. As I stood head and shoulders above the others and took a census of the passengers I found that there were ten women on one side and ten women and two men on the other side.

One of the men I recognized for we had been friends of long standing. I knew that his home was near and patiently waited for his departure. When Eightieth street was reached he rose from his seat and—I didn't sit down for the ladies shook out their sleeves, separated a little and eleven persons filled the space that had been occupied by twelve.

I changed my clinging hand from the right to the left and settled into the conviction that I must stand until I reached my destination at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Then my sunken hopes were revived by the last man next to the man signaling the conductor to stop. He left the car, but no room for me, for the nine ladies again stirred, shook another reef from their sleeves, and the seat was entirely filled. I clung to the strap with both hands.

When we reached One Hundred and Twentieth street the one other man rose to go and without looking behind I followed him to walk the remainder of the distance, for I did not want to be a witness to the result of the effort of the nine women to further expand.

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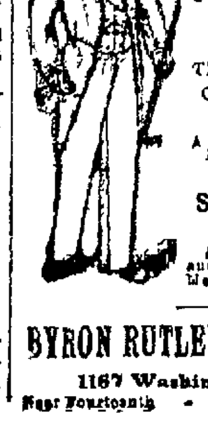

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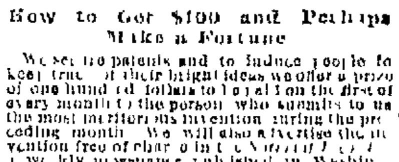

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The most conspicuous event in local amusements and to many play-goers the most important event in the entire history of Oakland theatricals is the advent here of the American Extravaganza Company, which will be seen at the Macdonough on Monday and Tuesday next and also at a matinee Tuesday.

This new spectacular extravaganza is the product of many brilliant men. J. Cheever Goodwin wrote the book; W. H. Batchelor composed and arranged the music; Frederick Dangerfield painted the scenery; Howard Russell designed the costumes and Alias & Co. made them; Carlo Coppo composed the ballets, Giorgio Jacobi wrote the music for them, and Signor Marchetti arranged them and put them on. The American Extravaganza Company this season

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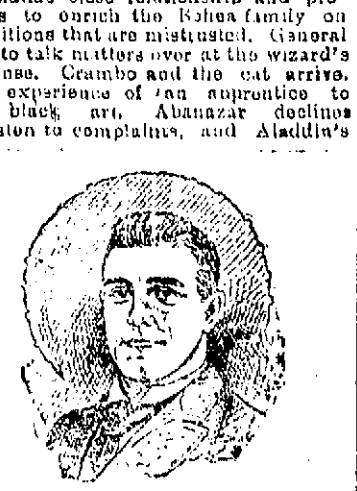
Among the principals are the two most distinguished premiere danseuses dancing together anywhere in the world today, Frantein Martha Irmler and Mdo. Catherine Bartho. In the cast are Miss Anna Boyd, Miss Ada Deaves, Miss Frankie Raymond, Miss Allene Crater, Miss Irena Verona, Miss Josie Chaldera, Miss Nellie Lynch, Miss Edith Wynne, Miss Mary Thorne, Miss Bessie Pope, and Messrs. Henry Norman and John J. Burke, Albert Froom John E. Cain, John E. Murphy, Charles Turner, David Abrahams, etc. The synopsis and scenery and incidents in *Aladdin Jr.* are as follows:

Act 1—Grand square showing the exterior of the royal baths at Pekin. The morn of the Feast of Lanterns. Aladdin turns up like a bad penny. A lesson in jollying, Chow Chow threatens the Widow, but Aladdin goes him several better. Abanazar, the wizard, enters. He claims close relationship and proposes to enrich the Kohen family on conditions that are mistrusted. General exit to talk matters over at the wizard's expense. Crambo and the cat arrive. The experience of an apprentice to the black art. Abanazar declines to listen to complaints, and Aladdin's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co-operation is besought but refused. Entrance of Princess Badroulbadour on route to the royal baths. Love at first sight.

Act 2, scene 1—Exterior of the mystic cave, moonlight; midnight picnic of the day of the feast of lanterns. The return to Pekin. The storm. The arrival of the wizard and Aladdin, and the descent of the latter into the cave of the lamp.

Scene 2—Interior of the mystic cave; Aladdin desirous of breaking out. The wizard's warning. The lamp is secured, but too late. Midnight sounds, and the cave closes for a hundred years. Appearance of the slave of the ring, who places himself at Aladdin's orders.

Scene 3—Bubble cascade in the golden glen and resort of silver storks. Grand amber ballet and celestial festival by the entire corps de ballet of the American Extravaganza Company, led by Mlle. Catherine Bartho of the Imperial Theater, Moscow (first appearance), and Frl. Martha Irmler, late of the King's Theater, Dresden, Saxony.

Act 3, scene 1—The interior of Widow Kohen's laundry. Aladdin returns in time to show his proposed stepfather the door. Entrance of the Emperor and retinue. The Emperor tests Aladdin's power; failure. The ring refuses to work. About to be condemned, when the slave of the lamp comes to his aid. The shower of gold.

Scene 2—Gardens of the Imperial palace. New lamps for old ones. Badroulbadour jumps at the offer. The lamp changes hands. The flight of Badroulbadour and Chee Kee and the Magician.

Act 4, scene 1—Egypt: palace of ebony and gold (on the banks of the Nile). Badroulbadour and Chee Kee as prisoners. The drugged wine. The recapture of the lamp. Escape of the lovers. Good-by to Africa.

Scene 2—The gates of the great walls of China. Crambo announces his intention of abandoning the profession of a magician. Happy return of the travelers. A truce agreed upon, with the terms left to the audience. Finale.

Scene 3—Grand transformation scene, "The origin of the harp."

The sale of seats is very large, yet there are good seats to be had. The general admission for the Tuesday matinee will be 50 cents.

Coming Events.

On Friday and Saturday nights of next week the original and only Haverly's Minstrels will come to the Macdonough. The name of Haverly, will, no doubt, crowd the Macdonough for two nights. This will be the first minstrel company in Oakland for a year and the only one this season. Haverly has a splendid company and a number of novelties will be introduced. The advance sale of seats begins next Wednesday at 9 A. M. Popular prices will prevail.

The charming comedienne, Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman and an excellent company, will come to the Macdonough on the 14th inst., for three nights in the highly successful comedy, *The Passport*. Crowded houses have greeted Miss Martinot at the California, San Francisco, and her play has been received with shrieks of laughter. It is considered the cleverest comedy seen in years. Sale of seats begins next Thursday at 9 A. M. Popular prices.

The People's.

Marie Heath and her clever company have done a big business this week at the People's Theater. *A Turkish Bath* is so full of fun that the audiences are kept constantly in a roar of laughter. It is clean, wholesome fun, too, and herein is the charm of the comedy. "Little Dot," the interesting youngster, is a creation of the stage which only Miss Heath can sustain. She is inimitable in the character. Her company is composed of unusually bright people. As Robin McGoogle, the policeman, Frank Murphy is a gem of farce comedy. He is intensely funny without being a caricature. The songs and dances are all new and the performance goes throughout with a dash and action, which keeps the audience in the best of humor.

The charming story of a waif rescued from shipwreck, but separated from her parents, who are also for a time lost to each other, is the foundation of the plot of *Spray*, which will be presented at the People's Theater next week. A strong stock company, selected especially for the production of this beautiful comedy-drama, will hold the boards for a time. The play has had a successful run in a number of the large Eastern cities and promises to prove as interesting here. A pretty love story runs through the piece, and the climax, where husband and wife are reunited with their lost "Spray," is especially good. The comedy is furnished by the homely characters taken from the fisher men's cottages along the coast.

The Oriental.

The Operator has scored a success at the Oriental Theater. Mr. Willard Newell, as "Silas Jackson, the ex-convict," has the larger part to carry, which is done in a very forcible and artistic manner, while Mr. William Newell, as "George Darrington, the telegraph operator," is fully up to the standard.

The Newell Brothers have been re-engaged for another week and will produce *The Corsican Brothers*. Owing to the elaborate preparations necessary for the proper presentation of Alexander Dumas' great play, the theater will be closed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Thursday evening, *The Operator* will be repeated for the benefit of the funds of the Native Sons of the Golden West.

The Baldwin.

It is so long since the people in this vicinity have had a season of opera that they will hear with pleasure the announcement of the opening of the engagement, at the Baldwin Theater, next Monday night, of the Tavary Grand English Opera Co. This organization comprises a magnificent array of talent and is well supplied in every manner—stage effects, chorus, costumes and principals—to give a most satisfactory rendition of all the great operas.

The opening selection will be *Rigoletto*; Tuesday, *Trovatore*; Wednesday matinee, *Bohemian Girl*; Thursday, *Carmen*; Friday, *Faust*; Saturday matinee, *Martha*, and Saturday evening, *Tannhauser*.

The Californial

Next Monday evening Lottie Collins, who set the world singing "Ta-ra-ra," appears in a congenial character in *The Devil Bird*. This is an operetta, which contains some of the most catching airs over heard upon the coast. The play is admirably adapted to bring out the varied talents of this sprightly actress, as also those of her capable company. Miss Collins is well known in this city and along the coast, and will undoubtedly attract large audiences through the week.

The Orpheum.

At the Orpheum, next week, there will be another grand bill, which will surely pack the house, as have all the attractions at this resort for many months past. Among the performers will be a great list of new people, among them being Bunch, Rudd and Flakey, continental eccentrics; Josef Loisel, with his flock of trained storks; Claire de Lunes, the famous eccentrique; Bogert and O'Brien, the great musical comedy duo; T. J. Godfrey, the aerial balancer and acrobat; Lydia Yeamans Titus, Fred J. Titus and a host of others.

The Tivoli.

The great success, *Lalla Rookh*, will be continued at the Tivoli all next week. It has proved a remarkable drawing card. It is most richly staged and costumed, and nightly evokes thunders of applause.

Morosco's.

Next Monday night, the entertaining play, *Whip-poor-will*, will be produced at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It will be continued throughout the week.

Stockwell's.

The attraction at Stockwell's Theater next week will be the same as has been holding the boards this week, namely, *The Wolves of New York*.

The Alcazar.

At the Alcazar Theater next week Marie Heath, who has been doing a good business at the People's this week, will appear in *A Turkish Bath*.

Havens Won His Case.

J. M. Havens appeared as his own attorney in Justice Shaw's court yesterday. He had been sued for $18 on account of repairs made to a bicycle which he had rented from the Overman Wheel Company, Mr. Havens raised the point that the company had repaired its own wheel and he won the case.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Juliet Garber presided at a charming luncheon at her father's residence in Claremont last Wednesday.

Miss Amy Renna gave a gauis party at her home in Piedmont Christmas eve.

Mrs. Dr. Wilson Stockham of Napa is visiting in Oakland.

Mrs. Sophia Carlton of Berkeley is quite recovered of her recent serious illness.

Hon. N. L. F. Bachman of Fresno is the guest of Dr. Theo. Olmsted of this city.

Colonel G. C. Edwards and family are at Santa Cruz.

Rev. E. S. Chapman and wife are at Los Angeles.

James Nash of West Oakland leaves for Sacramento tonight.

J. S. Lantan of Alameda is sojourning at Paso Robles.

T. J. ROBERTS' DEMAND.

He Applied for the Arrest of C. P. Huntington.

Thomas J. Roberts, president of the local lodge of the American Railway Union, applied to the United States District Attorney yesterday afternoon for a warrant for the arrest of C. P. Huntington. Roberts says that according to the testimony of Frank M. Stone, Mr. Huntington violated the Interstate Commerce law in giving Stone passes on the railroad. The application of Roberts for a warrant was denied.

HE WAS ANNOYING.

Jacob Ambacher Caused His Neighbors Trouble.

Jacob Ambacher was declared insane this morning and was committed to the Ukiah Insane Asylum. He has fits occasionally and when these come on his neighbors at Lorin have to turn out and hold him down by force. They have become weary of being called upon for assistance.

Garthwaite's Move.

H. P. Garthwaite will make it rather unpleasant for Receiver Bishop of the Piedmont Company. He has filed his papers citing the receiver to appear in court and show cause why he (Garthwaite), as a stockholder, should not be allowed to examine the books of the corporation.

Dalton Resigns.

Assessor-elect Dalton has resigned from the Council. Mayor Pardee has not as yet appointed a successor. Of the many candidates in the field D. S. Moulton has the call so far as is known.

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The surprisingly small number of whist clubs that have budded and bloomed this winter is accounted for by the quantities of French classes that have come up like mushrooms. To be sure there are some German classes, but the majority are seeking, somewhat diligently, to master the mysteries of the words that fall so easily from Parisian lips. In short French classes are the fad in Oakland, and if you do not belong to one you are not really in the vortex of the social whirl. It is proper to do just this little bit of studying this winter, though there is no present danger of the society girl being obliged to resort to spectacles. They are not studying that way.

The main object of the French classes is to enable the members to meet socially once a week. It is a good excuse, and even the most eager votaries confess that they are only dallying with pronouns and adverbs. But in spite of the *dilettanteism* some of them are learning to speak French quite well and with a good approach to the Parisian accent, too.

Of course they are not learning by the old classical method, with grammar and dictionary. They have a sort of Delsarte system, and learn the language by ear instead of by note, as it were. The new method teaches through the ear—the old one taught through the eye.

This year, society's dollars are going into the pockets of Madamoiselle Hitchcock and Madam Leclre, instead of into the purse of Kate Wheelock, the whist queen, who deigned to shine on us last winter.

It is Professor Gouin's method that is all the rage, and everywhere you go in Oakland drawing-rooms, you hear echoes of his name.

These are some of the classes in Oakland: Mrs. Buckley, Mrs. Wheaton's sister, has one at her house. There are fifteen members, all ladies, among them being Mrs. John Bass and Miss Lou Bunvais. In the class that meets at Mrs. Dunham's house—Mary Dunham, Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Silas Palmer are prominent members. There is a Wednesday morning class that meets weekly in the big billiard-room at the home of Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtiss on Eighteenth street, East Oakland. Not long ago there were twenty-two members, but half a dozen dropped out during the holidays, leaving it, however, the biggest class in the city. The membership includes Mrs. Glascock, Mrs. Curtiss, Mrs. Dr. Sweeny, Mrs. Dr. Renz, Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Miss Elizabeth Meehan, Mrs. Schultz, Mrs. Gillette, Mrs. Caskie, Mrs. Robert Leckie, Mrs. Judge Nusbaumer and Miss Carmany.

These are all daytime classes and only ladies belong. Mrs. Pope of Highland Park has an evening class that has male members, and Mrs. Robert Knight has an evening class in her esthetic home to which a number of men belong. The members of Mrs. Knight's class are Mr. and Mrs. Knight, the Clifts, Karl Abbott, Mr. English, May Burnham, Josephine Chabot and some more of the neighbors. It is a very jolly class and they have some lively times. Sometimes the pupils make comical mistakes, as was the case when one of the young ladies got the French words for coach and coachman mixed up, with the most disastrous consequences to herself.

Before the end of winter French will probably be used altogether in common discourse instead of English, though occasionally it is so convenient to have an English word to help out.

ALL IN LINE.

Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

July 1st—Antone Charles Anderson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Madge Hutchison, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21 years; by Rev. James H. Warren.

July 22d—Sanford Oakes Springer, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years, and Delia Thompson, a resident of Berkeley, aged 18 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

July 23d—John Veirra Caneta, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Marie Louisa Vierra, a resident of East Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

August 5th—Cornelius Kelleher, a resident of Oakland, aged 39 years, and Katie Griffin, a resident of Berkeley, aged 28 years; by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

December 3d—Francis Jose Mathews, a resident of Oakland, aged 36 years, and Marie Freitas, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Father E. F. Fernandes.

December 18th—John Carlson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Sophia Eugenia Johnson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years; by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 19th—Frank William Bilger, a resident of San Leandro, aged 21 years, and Carrie F. Siebe, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. A. Jatho.

December 19th—Frank Germ Yanney, a resident of Oakland, aged 27 years, and Maude Edna Purdy, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years; by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 20th—John Hildreth Crow, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Margaret Bandholdt, a resident of Oakland, aged 29 years; by Rev. J. H. Theiss.

December 21th—John Alfred Clyde, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years, and Emma Larsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 24th—John Edward Houson, a resident of St. Helena, aged 35 years, and Hulda Augusta Olsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 26 years; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 26th—George Nicholas Weggener, a resident of Livermore, aged 24 years, and Lottie Jane Famaries, a resident of Livermore, aged 19 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

December 26th—George David James, a resident of San Francisco, aged 42 years and Laura Augusta Dingley, a resident of West Berkeley, aged 28 years; by Rev. G. H. Jones.

December 27th—John Taveira, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Julia Hertle, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years; by Rev. James Curry.

December 31st—Charles William Remington, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years, and Irene Wheeler, a resident of Oakland, aged 16 years; by Rev. Edwin Sidney Williams.

January 1st—Murdick Montgomery, a resident of Livermore, aged 26 years, and Florence Kaltro Taylor, a resident of Livermore, aged 18 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

January 1st—Alfred Bolognesi, a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years, and Carolina Verdi, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years; by Edward H. Shaw, Justice of the Peace.

January 1st—Michael Worden, a resident of San Francisco, aged 33 years, and Mary Galindo, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years; by Rev. James Curry.

January 2d—Carl L. N. Le N. de Bretteville, a resident of Oakland, aged 25 years, and Nanny Moyer, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Frank Hugh Foster.

January 2d—Hiram Fayette Bishop, a resident of Oakland, aged 37 years, and Barbara McKenzie, a resident of Oakland, aged 29 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—Harry Du Combe Cook, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years, and Carrie Laurette Cook, a resident of Golden Gate, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—George Porter Lowell, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years, and Lily May Wade, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. S. S. Palmer.

January 2d—Walter Huffman Weisheimer, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25 years, and Frances Edith Horubeck, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 3d—Valdermero Cavallo, a resident of San Francisco, aged 27 years, and Sarah Hadden Kenna, a resident of North Oakland, aged 22 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

January 3d—Henry Louis Meyors, a resident of San Francisco, aged 38 years, and Nellie Gribben, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21 years; by Edward H. Shaw, J. P.

January 3d—Elmer Ellsworth Evans, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Sarah Janie Robertson, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

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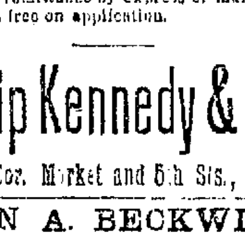

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"Spray" Is the Attraction at the People's.

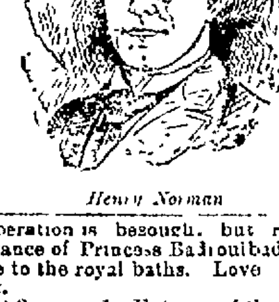
A Benefit to Be Given Next Week at the Oriental.

The most conspicuous event in local amusements and to many play-goers the most important event in the entire history of Oakland theatricals is the advent here of the American Extravaganza Company, which will be seen at the Macdonough on Monday and Tuesday next and also at a matinee Tuesday.

This new spectacular extravaganza is the product of many brilliant men. J. Cheever Goodwin wrote the book, W. H. Batchelor composed and arranged the music, Frederick Dangerfield painted the scenery, Howard Russell designed the costumes and Alias & Co made them, Carlo Coppe composed the ballets, Georgio Jacobi wrote the music for them, and Signor Marchetti arranged them and put them on. The American Extravaganza Company this season numbers about 200 people and travels in a special train of sixteen cars.

Among the principals are the two most distinguished premiere danseuses dancing together anywhere in the world today, Fraulein Martha Irmler and Mlle. Catherine Bartho. In the cast are Miss Anna Boyd, Miss Ada Deaves, Miss Frankie Raymond, Miss Allene Crater, Miss Irena Verona, Miss Josie Chaldera, Miss Nellie Lynch, Miss Edith Wynne, Miss Mary Thorne, Miss Bessie Pope, and Messrs. Henry Norman and John J. Burke, Albert Froom, John E. Cain, John E. Murphy, Charles Turner, David Abrahams, etc. The synopsis and scenery and incidents in *Aladdin Jr.* are as follows.

Act 1—Grand square showing the exterior of the royal baths at Pekin. The morn of the Feast of Lanterns. Aladdin turns up like a bad penny. A lesson in jollying. Chow Chow threatens the Widow, but Aladdin gives him several better. Abanazar, the wizard, enters. He claims close relationship and proposes to enrich the Bohea family on conditions that are mistrusted. General exit to talk matters over at the wizard's expense. Crambo and the cat arrive. The experience of an apprentice to the black art. Abanazar declines to listen to complaints, and Aladdin's



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co-operation is besought, but refused. Entrance of Princess Badroulbadour en route to the royal baths. Love at first sight.

Act 2, scene 1—Exterior of the mystic cave, moonlight; midnight picnic of the day of the feast of lanterns. The return to Pekin. The storm. The arrival of the wizard and Aladdin, and the descent of the latter into the cave of the lamp.

Scene 2—Interior of the mystic cave; Aladdin desirous of breaking out. The wizard's warning. The lamp is secured, but too late. Midnight sounds, and the cave closes for a hundred years. Appearance of the slave of the ring, who places himself at Aladdin's orders.

Scene 3—Bubble cascade in the golden glen and resort of silver storks. Grand amber ballet and celestial festival by the entire corps de ballet of the American Extravaganza Company, led by Mlle. Catherine Bartho of the Imperial Theater, Moscow (first appearance), and Frl. Martha Irmler, late of the King's Theater, Dresden, Saxony.

Act 3, scene 1—The interior of Widow Bohea's laundry. Aladdin returns in time to show his proposed stepfather the door. Entrance of the Emperor and retinue. The Emperor tests Aladdin's power; failure. The ring refuses to work. About to be condemned, when the slave of the lamp comes to his aid. The shower of gold.

Scene 2—Gardens of the imperial palace. New lamps for old ones. Badroulbadour jumps at the offer. The lamp changes hands. The flight of Badroulbadour and Chee Kee and the Magician.

Act 4, scene 1—Egypt, palace of ebony and gold on the banks of the Nile; Badroulbadour and Chee Kee as prisoners. The drugged wine. The recapture of the lamp. Escape of the lovers. Good-by to Africa.

Scene 2—The gates of the great walls of China. Crambo announces his intention of abandoning the profession of a magician. Happy return of the travelers. A truce agreed upon, with the terms left to the audience. Finale.

Scene 3—Grand transformation scene, "The origin of the harp."

The sale of seats is very large, yet there are good seats to be had. The general admission for the Tuesday matinee will be 50 cents.

Coming Events

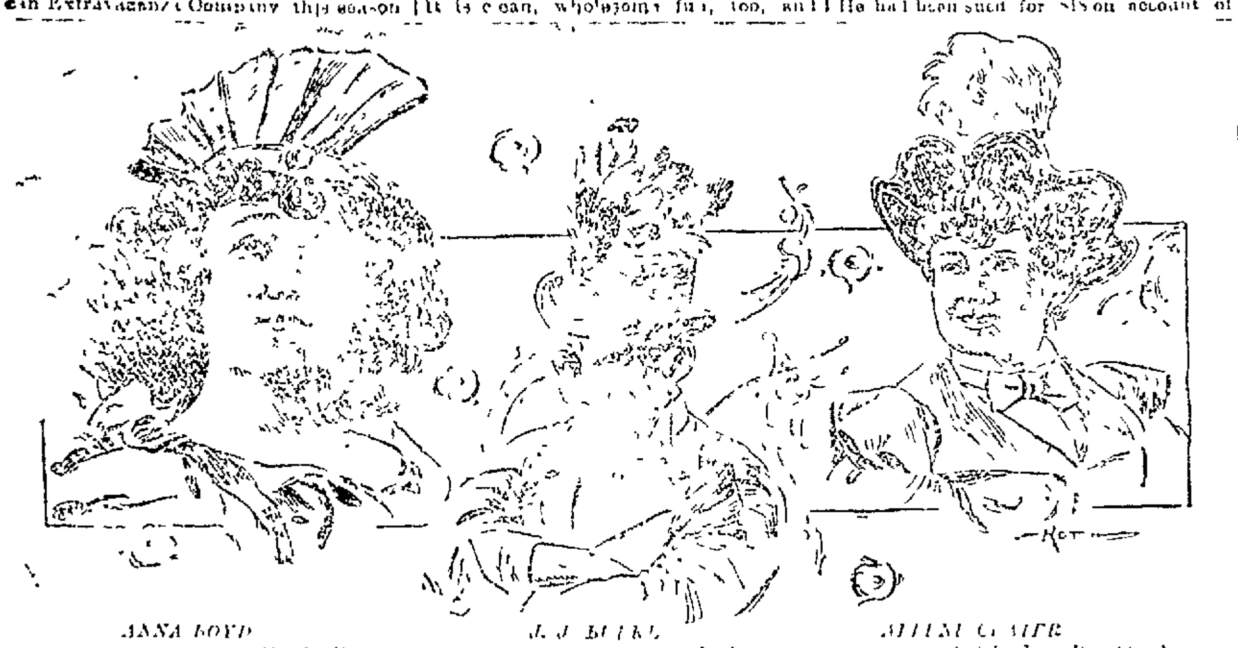
On Friday and Saturday nights of next week the original and only Haverly's Minstrels will come to the Macdonough. The name of Haverly, will, no doubt, crowd the Macdonough for two nights. This will be the first minstrel company in Oakland for a year and the only one this season. Haverly has a splendid company and a number of novelties will be introduced. The advance sale of seats begins next Wednesday at 9 A. M. Popular prices will prevail.

The charming comedienne, Sadie Martinot, supported by Max Figman and an excellent company, will come to the Macdonough on the 17th inst., for three nights in the highly successful comedy, *The Passport*. Crowded houses have greeted Miss Martinot at the California, San Francisco, and her play has been received with shrieks of laughter. It is considered the cleverest comedy seen in years. Sale of seats begins next Thursday at 9 A. M. Popular prices.

The People's.

Marie Heath and her clever company have done a big business this week at the People's Theater. *A Turkish Bath* is so full of fun that the audiences are kept constantly in a roar of laughter. It is clean, wholesome fun, too, and herein is the charm of the comedy. "Little Dot," the interesting youngster, is a creation of the stage which only Miss Heath can sustain. She is inimitable in the character. Her company is composed of unusually bright people. As Robin McGoogle, the policeman, Frank Murphy is a gem of farce comedy. He is intensely funny without being a caricature. The songs and dances are all new and the performance goes throughout with a dash and action, which keeps the audience in the best of humor.

The charming story of a waif rescued from shipwreck, but separated from her parents, who are also for a time lost to each other, is the foundation of the plot of *Spray*, which will be presented at the People's Theater next week. A strong stock company, selected especially for the production of this beautiful comedy-drama, will hold the boards for a time. The play has had a successful run in a number of the large Eastern cities and promises to prove as interesting here. A pretty love story runs through the piece, and the climax, where husband and wife are reunited with their lost "Spray," is especially good. The comedy is furnished by the homely characters taken from the fishermen's cottages along the coast.



ANNA BOYD As "Aladdin." *J. J. BURKE* As "Crambo." *MINNIE CRATER* As "Ko Ko Dinah."

The Oriental

The Operator has scored a success at the Oriental Theater. Mr. Willard Newell, as "Silas Jackson, the ex-convict," has the larger part to carry, which is done in a very forcible and artistic manner, while Mr. William Newell, as "George Darrington, the telegraph operator," is fully up to the standard.

The Newell Brothers have been re-engaged for another week and will produce *The Corsican Brothers*. Owing to the elaborate preparations necessary for the proper presentation of Alexander Dumas' great play, the theater will be closed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Thursday evening, *The Operator* will be repeated for the benefit of the fund of the Native Sons of the Golden West.

The Baldwin.

It is so long since the people in this vicinity have had a season of opera that they will hear with pleasure the announcement of the opening of the engagement, at the Baldwin Theater, next Monday night, of the Tavary Grand English Opera Co. This organization comprises a magnificent array of talent and is well supplied in every manner—stage effects, chorus, costumes and principals—to give a most satisfactory rendition of all the great operas.

The opening selection will be *Rigoletto*; Tuesday, *Trovatore*; Wednesday matinee, *Bohemian Girl*, Thursday, *Carmen*; Friday, *Faust*, Saturday matinee, *Martha*, and Saturday evening, *Tannhauser*.

The California

Next Monday evening Lottie Collins, who set the world singing "Ta-ra-ra," appears in a congenial character in *The Devil Bird*. This is an operetta, which contains some of the most catching airs ever heard upon the coast. The play is admirably adapted to bring out the varied talents of this sprightly actress, as also those of her capable company. Miss Collins is well known in this city and along the coast, and will undoubtedly attract large audiences through the week.

The Orpheum.

At the Orpheum, next week, there will be another grand bill, which will surely pack the house, as have all the attractions at this resort for many months past. Among the performers will be a great list of new people, among them being Lunch, Rudd and Hlaksy, continental eccentrics; Josef Lorset, with his flock of trained storks; Clare de Lunes, the famous eccentrique; Bogert and O'Brien, the great musical comedy duo, J. J. Godfrey, the aerial balancer and acrobat; Lydia Yeamans Titus, Fred J. Titus and a host of others.

The Tivoli.

The great success, *Jolla Rooth*, will be continued at the Tivoli all next week. It has proved a remarkable drawing card. It is most richly staged and costumed, and nightly evokes thunders of applause.

Morosco's.

Next Monday night, the entertaining play, *Whip-poor-will* will be produced at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It will be continued throughout the week.

Stockwell's.

The attraction at Stockwell's Theater next week will be the same as has been holding the boards this week, namely, *The Wolves of New York*.

The Alcazar

At the Alcazar Theater next week Marie Heath, who has been doing a good business at the People's this week, will appear in *A Turkish Bath*.

Havens Won His Case.

J. M. Havens appeared as his own attorney in Justice Shaw's court yesterday. He had been sued for $... on account of repairs made to a bicycle which he had rented from the Overman Wheel Company. Mr. Havens raised the point that the company had repaired its own wheel and he won the case.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Juliet Garber presided at a charming luncheon at her father's residence in Claremont last Wednesday.

Miss Amy Leona gave a gauze party at her home in Piedmont Christmas eve.

Mrs. Dr. Wilson Stockham of Napa is visiting in Oakland.

Mrs Sophia Carlton of Berkeley is quite recovered of her recent serious illness.

Hon N. L. L. Bachman of Fresno is the guest of Dr. Theo Olmsted of this city.

Colonel J. C. Edwards and family are at Santa Cruz.

Rev E. S. Chapman and wife are at Los Angeles.

James Nash of West Oakland leaves for Sacramento tonight.

J. S. Lantan of Alameda is sojourning at Paso Robles.

T. J. ROBERTS' DEMAND.

He Applied for the Arrest of C. P. Huntington.

Thomas J. Roberts, president of the local lodge of the American Railway Union, applied to the United States District Attorney yesterday afternoon for a warrant for the arrest of C. P. Huntington. Roberts says that according to the testimony of Frank M. Stone, Mr. Huntington violated the Interstate Commerce law in giving Stone passes on the railroad. The application of Roberts for a warrant was denied.

HE WAS ANNOYING.

Jacob Aubacher Caused His Neighbors Trouble.

Jacob Ambacher was declared insane this morning and was committed to the Ukiah Insane Asylum. He has fits occasionally and when these come on his neighbors at Lorin have to turn out and hold him down by force. They have become weary of being called upon for assistance.

Garthwaite's Move.

H. P. Garthwaite will make it rather unpleasant for Receiver Bishop of the Piedmont Company. He has filed his papers citing the receiver to appear in court and show cause why he (Garthwaite), as a stockholder, should not be allowed to examine the books of the corporation.

Dalton Resigns.

Assessor-elect Dalton has resigned from the Council. Mayor Pardee has not as yet appointed a successor. Of the many candidates in the field D. S. Moulton has the call so far as is known.

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Study and Pleasure Being Combined in a Charming Way.

The surprisingly small number of whist clubs that have budded and bloomed this winter is accounted for by the quantities of French classes that have come up like mushrooms. To be sure there are some German classes, but the majority are seeking, somewhat diligently, to master the mysteries of the words that fall so easily from Parisian lips. In short French classes are the fad in Oakland, and if you do not belong to one you are not really in the vortex of the social whirl. It is proper to do just this little bit of studying this winter, though there is no present danger of the society girl being obliged to resort to spectacles. They are not studying that way.

The main object of the French classes is to enable the members to meet socially once a week. It is a good excuse, and even the most eager votaries confess that they are only flying with pronouns and adverbs. But in spite of the *dact intern* some of them are learning to speak French quite well and with a good approach to the Parisian accent too.

Of course they are not learning by the old classical method with grammar and dictionary. They have a sort of Delsarte system and learn the language by ear instead of by note as it were. The method teaches through the ear—the old one taught through the eye.

This year, society's dollars are going into the pockets of Mademoiselle Hitchcock and Madam Lebre, instead of into the purse of Kate Wheelock, the whist queen, who deigned to shine on us last winter.

It is Professor Gouin's method that is all the rage and everywhere you go in Oakland drawing rooms, you hear echoes of his name.

The are some of the classes in Oakland. Mrs Buckley, Mrs Wheaton's sister, has one at her house. There are ten members, all ladies, among them being Mrs John Russ and Miss Lou Brevais. In the class that meets at Mrs Dunham's house—Mary Dunham, Mrs Dunham and Mrs Silas Palmer are prominent members. There is a Wednesday morning class that meets weekly in the big library at the home of Mrs Gilbert L. Curtiss on Eighteenth street, East Oakland. Not long ago there were twenty-two members, but half a dozen dropped out during the holidays, leaving it, however, the biggest class in the city. The membership includes Mrs Gaskell, Mrs Curtiss, Mrs Dr Sweeny, Mrs Dr Ritz, Mrs J. Walter Scott, Miss Elizabeth Sherman, Mrs Scott, Mrs Gillette, Mrs C..., Mrs Robert Leckie, Mrs. Judge Nusbaumer and Miss Carmany.

These are all daytime classes and only ladies belong. Mrs Pope of Highland Park has an evening class that has ... members and Mrs Robert Knight has an evening class in her ... home to which a number of men belong. The members of Mrs Knight's class are Mr and Mrs Kimball, the Clifts, Kate Abbott, Mr Ingalls, May Barnum, Josephine Chabot and some more of the neighbors. It is a very jolly class and they have some lively times. Sometimes the pupils make comical mistakes, as was the case when one of the young ladies got the French words for couch and coachman mixed up, with the most disastrous consequences to herself.

Before the end of winter French will probably be used altogether in common discourse instead of English, though occasionally it is so convenient to have an English word to help out.

ALL IN LINE.

Certificates Recorded During the Week Just Ending.

July 1st—Antone Charles Anderson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Madge Hutchison, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21 years, by Rev. James H Warren.

July 22d—Sanford Oakes Springer, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years, and Delia Thompson, a resident of Berkeley, aged 18 years, by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

July 24th—John Verrra Cinett, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Marie Louisa Vierra, a resident of East Oakland, aged 25 years, by Rev. Father Thomas Phillips.

August 5th—Cornelius Kelleher, a resident of Oakland, aged 31 years, and Katie Griffin, a resident of Berkeley, aged 25 years, by Rev Father Thomas Phillips.

December 1—Francis Jose Mathews, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years, and Marie Freitas, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years; by Rev. Father E. F. Fernandes.

December 18th—John Carlson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 years, and Sophie Eugenia Johnson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 20 years, by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 19th—Frank William Bilger, a resident of San Leandro, aged 2? years, and Carrie F. Siebe, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years; by Rev. A. Jaime.

December 19th—Frank Germ Yanney, a resident of Oakland, aged 27 years, and Maude Edna Purdy, a resident of Oakland, aged 19 years, by J. J. Allen, Justice of the Peace.

December 20th—John Hildreth Crow, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Margaret Bandholdt, a resident of Oakland, aged 29 years, by Rev. J. H. Theiss.

December 24th—John Alfred Clyde, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26 years, and Emma Larsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 25 years; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 24th—John Edward Honson, a resident of St. Helena, aged 30 years, and Hulda Augusta Olsen, a resident of Alameda, aged 26 years, by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

December 25th—George Nicholas Wegener, a resident of Livermore, aged 21 years, and Lottie Jane Famaries, a resident of Livermore, aged 19 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

December 26th—George David James, a resident of San Francisco, aged 42 years and Laura Augusta Dingley, a resident of West Berkeley, aged 28 years, by Rev. G. H. Jones.

December 27th—John Taveira, a resident of Oakland, aged 35 years, and Annie Julia Hertle, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years; by Rev. James Curry.

December 31st—Charles William Remington, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 years, and Irene Wheeler, a resident of Oakland, aged 16 years, by Rev. Edwin Sidney Williams.

January 1st—Murdick Montgomery, a resident of Livermore, aged 26 years, and Florence Kaltro Taylor, a resident of Livermore, aged 18 years; by Rev. Joel A. Gilfillan.

January 1st—Alfred Bolognesi, a resident of San Francisco, aged 31 years, and Carolina Verdi, a resident of Berkeley, aged 22 years; by Edward H. Shaw, Justice of the Peace.

January 1st—Michael Worden, a resident of San Francisco, aged 35 years, and Mary Galindo, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years, by Rev. James Curry.

January 2d—Carl L. N. Le N. de Bretteville, a resident of Oakland, aged 25 years, and Nanny Meyer, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 years, by Rev. Frank Hugh Foster.

January 2d—Hiram Fayette Bishop, a resident of Oakland, aged 57 years, and Barbara McKenzie, a resident of Oakland, aged 27 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—Harry Du Combe Cook, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years, and Carrie Laurette Cook, a resident of Golden Gate, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 2d—George Porter Lowell, a resident of Oakland, aged 26 years, and Lily May Wade, a resident of Oakland, aged 21 years, by Rev. E. S. Palmer.

January 2d—Walter Huffman Weisheimer, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25 years, and Frances Edith Hornbeck, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19 years; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

January 3d—Valdermero Cavallo, a resident of San Francisco, aged 27 years, and Sarah Haddea Kenny, a resident of North Oakland, aged 22 years; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

January 3d—Henry Louis Meyers, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25 years, and Nellie Gribben, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21 years, by Edward H. Shaw, J. P.

January 3d—Elmer Ellsworth Evans, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 years, and Sarah Jane Robertson, a resident of Oakland, aged 25 years, by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

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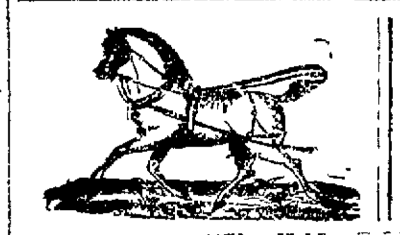

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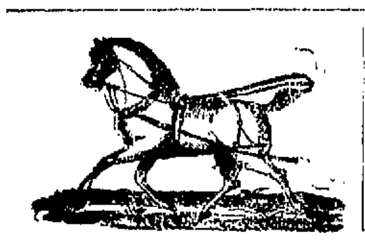

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OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c, No 1 92½@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@$1 10, surprise $1 05@1 15; Milling $1 02½@1 10; Norway Black, $1 10@1 15; Gray, 92½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 15.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 78¾@81¼c; No 1 Feed, 82½c, extra choice, 85¼c; Brewing, 90@95c.

CORN—Small yellow, ctl, $1 10@1 25; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—92½@95c ⅌ ctl.

BRAN—No 1, $16@17 ⅌ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ⅌ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50, extra choice $18@19.

BUCKWHEAT—9 ... ⅌ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$20@20 50 ⅌ ton.

HOPS—6@8c ⅌ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 00 @ 2 30; Small White, $2 10@2 ...; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 ...@2 10; Butter, $1 ...@2 00; Lima, $1 10@1 20; Red, $1 65@1 80; Pink $1 10@1 ...; Bayou, $1 75 @1 90; Black-eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $2 75@3 ⅌ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ⅌ ctl, $2 10@2 45; native, $1 ...; Canary, 3@3½c for California; ... for imported; Hemp, 3¼@4c; Flax, ...; ...; Timothy, ...; Alfalfa, 5@7½c for California and 8@9 for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@1...; Clover, $7@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 00@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $8@10, Barley, $6 50@9; Stock, $6@7 00; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—50@75c ⅌ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables

FRUITS—Bananas, bch, $1 2 ...; Apples bx. ordinary, 75c@$1 25, fancy, ...@$1; Pears box, common, 40@75c; Mexican Limes, $4@4 50; Lemons, California, common, $2 00@...; fancy $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $3 50@4 50; Pineapples, dozen, $3@5; common $1@...; Persimmons, box, 25@50c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 00@2 ...; Seedlings, $1@1 50; Lady Apples $1 ...@1 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk 75@80c; Garlic, lb, 8@9c; Cabbage, ctl, 60@70c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@70c; Parsnips, sk, $1 10@1 25; Turnips, 50@85c; Carrots, 35@50c; Tomatoes, bx, $1@1 10; Celery, doz 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 50@75c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@8c; String Beans 6@10c; Mushrooms, 5@15c; Rhubarb, bx, 5@7c.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 25@35c; River Reds, 30@35c; Burbanks, River, 80c@45c; Oregon, 60@85c; Salinas, 75c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@55c; New Potatoes, lb, 1½c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 50@65c ⅌ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ⅌ lb, sun dried, 4½@5c; evaporated, 5½@6½c; Apricots, bleached, 8@9½c; Moorpark, 8@9½c, sun dried, 5@7c; Peaches, bleached unpeeled, 7@8½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5@7½c; Plums pitted, 5@6c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ⅌ lb 50 to 60, 5½c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80, 4½c, 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c boxes, 5@6½c, ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced 5@6c; quartered, 4@6c; Figs, Smyrna, ⅌ lb, 1@11c; California boxes, 7c@$1; sks, 2@2½c ⅌ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ⅌ lb, 22@25c; fancy dairy, 18@20c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 14@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c; creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 30@37c; store 27@30c, Eastern, 21@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal.

CHEESE—Mild, new, ⅌ lb, ...c; California Young America, choice to fancy, ...c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@12c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $4 00@4 50; young, $... 00@5 00, fryers, $... @5 ..., broilers, large, $4@5; small, $3 50@4 50; Hens, doz, $4 ...@5 50. Ducks, old, $5@6 00, young, $5 00@6 ...; Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@11c; Gobblers, 9@11c; dressed, 12@14c, Goose, pair, $1 50@2; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ doz; Ducks—Teal $1 @ 1 25; Mallard, $3; Canvasback, $4@5; Sprig, $2; Widgeon, $1 25@1 50; small ducks, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50@3; White $1 00@1 25; Hare, $1; Rabbits $1 ...@1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2@2 50.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality 5@6c; second quality, 4@4½c; third do. 3@3½c ⅌ lb.

VEAL—Large, 6c, small, 7@8 ⅌ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5½@6c, Ewes, 4½@5c ⅌ lb.

LAMB—6@7c; Spring Lamb, 15c ⅌ lb.

PORK—Live hogs, ...c for heavy and medium grain-fed, and 4@4½c ⅌ lb for small fat; dressed do, 6½@7½c ⅌ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

Produce and Poultry.

Eggs, California, ⅌ doz	$ 35	@	40
Butter, choice, ⅌ roll	35	@	40
Turkeys, ⅌ lb	13	@	14
Chickens, Broilers, apiece	35	@	40
Chickens, hens, apiece	75	@	50
Chickens, Roosters, apiece	50	@	75
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit.

Potatoes ⅌ lb	½	@	1
Summer Squash, ⅌ lb	...	@	5
Green Apples, ⅌ basket	50	@	75
Grapes, ⅌ box	75	@	1 00

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, January 5th.

Charles Henderson to Erwin J. Crane, lot on west line of Jackson street, 1572 feet north from Twelfth street or Central avenue, north 100 by west 172 Oakland; $10.

L. E. Hensler to Julius Heyman and Abraham Mayer, lot 17, block 1, Golden Gate tract, subject to a mortgage for $250, Oakland township; $10.

Soren and Elvie M. Anderson to Hans H. Olsen, 22 acres, beginning at a point in center of road from Haywards through Cull canyon at southwest corner 223 12-acre tract of N. P. Jessen, thence northwest 1:00 chains, northwest 2.71 chains, northeast 1.00 chains, northwest 2.17 chains, northwest 6.89 chains northeast 3.79 chains, northeast .76 chains, northwest 1.35 chains, southeast 11.50 chains, southeast 12.50 chains, southwest 16.50 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

J. G. and Katie McCall, Hugh Wilson, John White, and W. E. Hall, assignee of J. G. McCall, insolvent debtor, by Sheriff to W. F. and A. W. Foster, executors of the estate of Alexander Montgomery, deceased, 11.08 acres, beginning at a point in south line of Mattox road, 22.66 chains east from northwest corner of Laurel Farm tract, said portion being at the intersection of the center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9.62 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip 20 feet wide along the west boundary above described; also 11.34 acres, beginning at a point in center of Strobridge avenue, southeast 9.62 chains from intersection of center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9.85 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip of land 20 feet wide along the west and south boundaries of last above described tract, being lots 20 and 21, Laurel Farm, near Haywards, Eden township; $ 990.

Alexander and Louise Campbell to O. K. Cleaveland, lot on south line of West Twelfth street, 104 feet west from Kirkham, west 40 by south 110, being portion of lot 26, Center-Street Home lots at Oakland Point, Oakland; $10.

James and Susanna Kenney to A. J. Samuel, lot on north line of Twelfth street, 34 feet east from Adeline, east 37 by north 95, Oakland, quitclaim deed; $112.

W. N. and Julia Winter and J. W. Arthur to John W. Butler, fractional part of block 25, bounded northeast by Jackson or East Eleventh street, southeast by Alameda street or Second avenue, southwest by Franklin street or East Tenth street, west by San Antonio creek and northwest by Bridge street or East avenue, East Oakland; $5.

James Stanley, administrator of the estate of Alfred Frint, to J. K. Orelup, lot on west line of Shattuck avenue, 210 feet south from Vine street, south 35 by west 145, Berkeley; $1269.

William T. and Emily Halliday to Lippman Sachs, lot 8, block B, Fanny Davenport tract subdivision of lot 6, Yoakum tract, Brooklyn township, warranty deed; $10.

Ambrose Megahan to Christiana W. Megahan, 21.75 acres, commencing at a post standing at the northeast corner of the lands of George W. Kraft, thence southeast 19.14 chains to a stake set in the center of the Arroyo de los Alisos, thence northwest 1 chain, southwest 7.72 chains, northwest 20.78 chains, northeast 13.53 chains to beginning, Washington township; gift.

ASKS FOR HER SHARE.

Miss Eda Collins Wants a House and Lot.

Miss Eda J. Collins today applied to the Superior Court for a partial distribution of the estate of her late mother, Catherine M. Collins. The latter left an estate valued at $83,340. The young lady says that under her mother's will she was bequeathed the house and lot on the southeast corner of Orchard and Webster streets. She now wants this property turned over to her at once.

Gold Bars on the Street.

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transshipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is a 1072 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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"	LOS ANGELES,	4:00	"	Friday
Arrive	EL PASO,	5:30	"	Saturday
"	NEW ORLEANS,	7:40	P. M.	Sunday
"	NEW YORK,	1:25	"	Tuesday

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7:30 A	Atlantic Express for Ogden and East	6:10 A
7:30 A	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis	6:15 P
7:58 A	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and *Santa Rosa	5:50 P
9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff	3:15 P
9:30 A	New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite) Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	5:10 P
9:30 A	Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	10:10 A
9:30A	Martinez and Stockton	10:10 A
*9:30 A	Peters and Milton	*6:52 P
12:55 P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:15 A
4:28 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	8:50 A
4:32 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:20 A
4:58 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno	0:52 P
5:38 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East	9:30 A
§7:30 P	Vallejo	§7:20 P
7:30 P	Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:20 A

NARROW GAUGE, 14th & FRANKLIN STS.

8 15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz (Gilroy, Tres Pinos Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations	5.14 P.
*2:15 P.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:11 A
4:15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:51 A.
§11:15 P.	Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations	†7:50 P.

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From FOURTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS OAKLAND, TO SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:45, *6:15, *6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15, 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:45, 11:15 p. m.

From HIGH STREET, ALAMEDA, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:32, *6:02, *6:32, 7:02, 7:32, 8:02, 8:32, 9:02, 9:32, 10:02, 10:32, 11:02, 11:32 a. m. 12:02, 12:32, 1:02, 1:32, 2:02, 2:32, 3:02, 3:32, 4:02, 4:32, 5:02, 5:32, 6:02, 6:32, 7:17, 8:17, 9:17, 10:32, 11:32 p. m.

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From SAN FRANCISCO, FOOT OF MARKET St. (SLIP 8)—*7:00, *8:00, 9:00, *10:00 and 11:00 a. m. *12:30, 11:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00 and *6:00 p. m.

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Office furniture	604 83	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	541 60	
		$11,804 31

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all Series	$28,230 00	
Net profit to all stock	6,206 08	
Paid up stock	5,600 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry other liabilities	768 23	
		$11,804 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

FIRST SERIES—Paid in per Share	48 00	
Earned	12 52	
		$ 60 52
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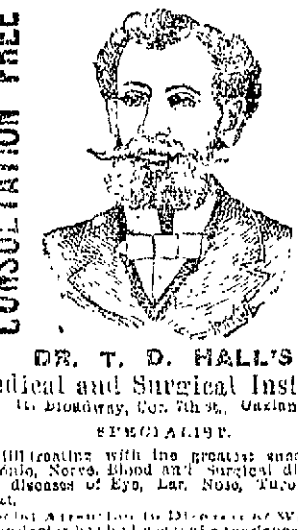

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1:35 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
4.25 P. M.	4,20 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS

8:15 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:35 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
12:35 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:55 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
4:35 P. M.	4:15 P. M.

Passengers from Oakland should take trains leaving Broadway twenty minutes in advance of leaving time as shown from Fruit Vale.

Round trip rates Oakland to Mills College and Laundry Farm, 35c.

W. M. RANK, Traffic Manager.

1003 Broadway, Oakland.

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.—Department Three.

In the matter of Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, an insolvent debtor.

Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, an insolvent debtor, having applied to this Court for a discharge from his debts and liabilities;

It is hereby ordered that the Clerk of this Court give notice to all creditors who have proved their debts to appear before this Court, at the Courtroom of Department No. 3 thereof, on the 18th day of February, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they have, why the said Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and from all liabilities.

It is further ordered that notice of said application be given to the creditors by mail and by publication at least once a week for four weeks in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper published in said county.

Done in open Court this January 4, 1895.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed Jan. 4, 1895.

JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-law, Mills building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

EBENEZER CARD,

Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of SAMUEL FURTER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrices, at the office of Snook & Church, room 3, Courthouse, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

MARIA S. FURTER,

EMMA MARIA FURTER,

Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 18, 1894.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Executrices.

LEGAL.

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

CALIFORNIA TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST COMPANY (a corporation), Plaintiff.

vs.

CONSOLIDATED PIEDMONT CABLE COMPANY (a corporation), Defendant.

Order to show cause.

It appearing to this Court from the petition this day presented and filed by Ira Bishop, the duly appointed, qualified and acting receiver of the Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company above named, that the receipts of said receiver from the operation of the railroad of defendant company from all sources for the year ending November first, 1894, and also for the month of November, 1894, are not sufficient to pay the expenses of operating said railway, and the liabilities incurred by said receiver in connection with his receivership, and that it also appears that for some months to come the receipts of said receiver will not meet his expenses.

It is hereby ordered that the stockholders and bondholders of said defendant, Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, and all others interested therein, show cause, if any they may have, before this Court at a regular term thereof, to be held at the courtroom of Department 1, in the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, and State of California, on Monday, the seventh day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, why the said Ira Bishop, as such receiver, should not be authorized and directed to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $20,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to meet the expenses of operating the railroad for said defendant, under the direction of this Court, from time to time, as such money s may be required, and to pay the same as it accrues from month to month, and to issue to the person or persons advancing the said sum, or sums, of money, his debentures or certificates of $500 each, with coupons or interest warrants attached, providing for the payment of interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, the said debentures or certificates together with the said coupons or interest warrants, to be signed by such receiver, and the same to be and constitute the first lien upon all of the property of every nature and description of said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, within the lien of the mortgage made by said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company to the California Title Insurance & Trust Company on the 5th day of May, 1891, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, in Liber 341 of Mortgages, page 119, after the first second and third series of receiver's certificates heretofore issued by said receiver, under and pursuant to orders by this Court made and entered on the 10th day of January, 1894, and on the 28th day of February, 1894, and on the 27th day of November, 1894, respectively, and amounting to $60,500 with interest, are first paid.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a day for three successive days before the the day of hearing, in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Alameda, and also once a day for three successive days in the *Evening Bulletin*, a newspaper printed and published in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and also that at least five days prior to the said day of hearing, a copy of this order be deposited in the Post-office, addressed to each and all of the stockholders and bondholders of said company, known to the said receiver, and that the same be addressed to the last known address of each of said stockholders and bondholders, the postage thereon being fully prepaid.

Dated this 24th day of December, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,

Judge.

C. H. WILSON, Attorney for Receiver, 530 California street, San Francisco.

MEETING NOTICES.

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1101 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of

EDSON F. ADAMS,

President.

JAMES C. McKEE,

Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M.

A. F. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

***Annual Meeting Stockholders* Union National Bank.**

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER,

Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER,

Vice-President.

C. B. YATES,

Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895

J. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.

Oakland, December 21, 1894.

Probate Notice.

No. 4186.—Department 4.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John G. Hertle, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John G. Hertle, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie J. Taveria, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 4 of said court, at the courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 3, 1895.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

J. R. PEIRSOL, Attorney for Petitioner, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California—No. 4175, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Hannah J. Adams, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Hannah J. Adams, deceased, and for the issuance to Edson F. Adams and John C. Adams of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 28, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Clerk.

Deputy Clerk.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4148, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckhalter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 28, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,

Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water, in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed, all persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.			
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101 " 500	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, exceeding a ground area of ... than ... feet ... cents for each additional 200 square feet ... thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 15.

For each day boarder, $0 ...

Lodging houses, boarding houses containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0 05.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, steam baths, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $5 00, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $ 20.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0 15.

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $0 ...

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 15.

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $ ...

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot, for each additional lineal front foot, one half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¼ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable including water for washing one vehicle, $0 10.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 ...

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $1 10.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 2...

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 ...

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 0...

Bakeries according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds correct copies of said accounts to be furnished to the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of ... per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D. 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelouze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,

Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

[SEAL] Attest: JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk of Board.

By T. M. CRAWFORD, Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $..., conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof until the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to her, or to any person, firm, corporation, or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, Department ..., in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the county of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 1..., 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,

Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $1000 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,

County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT,

Deputy Clerk.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 30 Post street. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

GEO. A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent. per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. F. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — CENTRAL BANK, Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits, payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.

C. B. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four and one-sixth (4 1-6) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

GEO. TOURNY, Secretary.

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Cereals

FLOUR—Net cash—Family extra, $3 40@3 55 ℔ bbl; Superfine, $2 10@2 35. Bakers' extra $3 30@3 40.

WHEAT—No. 1 Shipping, 85@86¼c; choice to fancy, 87½c, good to choice White Milling, 92½@97½c.

OATS—Feed, good to choice, 85@90c; No 1 92½c@$1 00; choice to fancy $1 02½@1 10, Surprise, $1 05@1 15; Milling, $1 02½@1 12½; Norway Black, $1 10@1 15, Gray, 97½c@$1 02½; Red, $1 07½@1 15.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, 78¾@81¼c; No 1 Feed, 82½c; extra choice, 83¼c; Brewing, 90@95c.

CORN—small yellow, $1 20@1 25; Large yellow, $1 10@1 15; White, $1 17½@1 25.

RYE—92½@95c ℔ ctl.

BRAN—No. 1, $11@12 ℔ ton.

MIDDLINGS—Fair to good, ℔ ton, $16 50@17; No. 1, $17@17 50, extra choice, $17@18.

BUCKWHEAT—9[illegible]@$1 ℔ ctl.

GROUND BARLEY—$17@18 70 ℔ ton.

HOPS—5@8c ℔ lb, according to quality.

BEANS—Large White, $2 00 @ 2 35; Small White, $2 10@2 60; Pea and Tree Beans, $2 60@2 80; Butter, $1 75@1 90, Lima, $1 10@1 25; Red, $1 65@1 80; Pink $1 10@1 15; Bayou, $1 75 @1 90. Black eyed Beans, $3 00@3 25; Red Kidneys, $2 75@3 ℔ ctl.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, ℔ ctl, $2 40@2 45; native, $1 75@2; Canary, 3@3½c for California; 4@4½c for imported; Hemp, 3½@4½c; Flax, $1 60 @1 75c; Rape, 1¾@2¼c; Timothy, 4@4½c; Alfalfa, 5@7½c for California and 8@9c for Utah.

HAY—Wheat, $9@12; Clover, $8@10 50; Wild Oat, $8 50@10 50; Alfalfa, $8@9 50; Wheat and Oat, $9@11; Tame Oat, $9@10; Barley, $8 50@9; Stock, $6@7 50; Compressed, $9@12.

STRAW—60@75c ℔ bale.

Fruits and Vegetables

FRUITS — Bananas, bch, $1 25@2; Apples bx. ordinary, 75c@$1 25; fancy, 75c@$1; Pears box, common, 40@75c; Mexican Limes, $1@4 50 Lemons, California, common, $2 00@3, fancy $3@4; Santa Barbara, fancy, $3 50@4 50; Pineapples, dozen, $2@5; common $2@4; Persimmons, box, 25@ 0c; Oranges, Washington Navels, $2 00@2 50; Seedlings, $1@1 50; Lady Apples $1 25@1 50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, sk, 50@80c; Garlic, lb, 3@3½c; Cabbage, ctl, 50@70c; Cauliflower, doz, 60@70c; Parsnips, sk, $1 00@1 25; Turnips, 65c@85c; Carrots, 35@50c; Tomatoes, bx, $1@1 50; Celery, doz 40@50c; Green Peppers, bx, 50@75c; Los Angeles Green Peas, lb, 6@8c; String Beans 6@10c; Mushrooms, 5@15c; Rhubarb, bx, 50@70c.

POTATOES—Good to choice, ctl, Early Rose, 20@35c; River Reds, 30@35c; Burbanks, River, 30c@45c; Oregon, 50@75c; Salinas, 75c@$1; Sweet Potatoes, ctl, 50c@55c; New Potatoes, lb, 1¼c.

ONIONS—Good to choice Silverskins, 50@65c ℔ ctl.

Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, ℔ lb, sun dried, 4½@5½c; evaporated, 6¼@7½c; Apricots, bleached, 6@7¼c; Moorpark, 8@8½c; sun dried, 5½@7c; Peaches, bleached, unpeeled, 7@8½c; peeled boxes, 10@12c; sun dried, 5@6½c; Plums pitted, 4@5c; do, unpitted, 1@2c; French Prunes sks, ℔ lb 80 to 40, 5¼c; 60 to 70, 5c; 70 to 80, 4½c, 80 to 90, 4c; 90 to 100, 3½c, boxes, 5@5½c; ungraded, 2@4c; Pears, sliced, 4@5c; quartered, 4@6c; Figs, Smyrna, ℔ lb, 10@12c; California boxes, 75c@$1; sks, 2@2½c ℔ lb.

Dairy Produce and Poultry.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, ℔ lb, 23@25c; fancy dairy, 18@20c; choice, 15@17c; fair to good, 12@14c; pickled roll, new, 14@16c; firkin, new, 11@17c; dairy packed tubs, 16@19c, creamery in tubs, 19@20c.

EGGS—California, choice ranch, dozen, 3 @ 37c; store, 27@30c; Eastern, 21@25c; Duck Eggs, nominal

CHEESE—Mild, new, ℔ lb, 8@9c; California Young America, choice to fancy, 8@11c; New York Cream, 13@14c; Western, 11@12c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, doz, $1 00@4 50; young, $5 00@6 00; fryers, $ @5 50; broilers, large, $4@5; small, $3 50@4 50; Hens, doz, $1 50 @5 50; Ducks, old, $5@5 50; young, $6 00@6 50, Turkeys, live, Hens, lb, 9@11c; Gobblers, 9@10c; dressed, 12@14c. Geese, pair, $1 50@2; Goslings, $1 50@1 75; Pigeons, doz, $1 25@1 50; old, $1.

GAME—Quail, $1 25@1 50 ℔ doz; Ducks—Teal $1 @ 1 25; Mallard, $5; Canvasback, $1 @ 6; sprig, $2; Widgeon, $1 25@1 50; small ducks, $1; Brant, $1 25@1 50; Geese—Gray, $2 50@$1; White $1 00@1 25; Hare, $1; Rabbits $1 25 @1 50; Snipe, common, $1@1 25; do English, $2@2 50.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Wholesale rates for dressed stock from slaughterers are as follows:

BEEF—First quality, 5c@5½; second quality, 4@4½c; third do, 3@3½c ℔ lb.

VEAL—Large, 6c, small, 7c@8 ℔ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 5@6c; Ewes, 4½@5c ℔ lb.

LAMB—6@7c; Spring Lamb, 10c ℔ lb.

PORK — Live hogs, 4½c for heavy and medium grain-fed, and 4@4¼c ℔ lb for small fat; dressed do, 6½c@6¾c ℔ lb.

RETAIL MARKET.

The following quotations are the prices prevailing in the Oakland retail market:

Produce and Poultry.

Eggs, California, ℔ doz	$ 35	@	40
Butter, choice, ℔ roll	45	@	50
Turkeys, ℔ lb	13	@	14
Chickens, broilers, apiece	35	@	40
Chickens, hens, apiece	75	@	90
Chickens, Roosters, apiece	50	@	75
Geese, apiece	75	@	1 00

Vegetables and Fruit:

Potatoes ℔ lb	½	@	1
Summer Squash, ℔ lb		@	4
Green Apples, ℔ basket	50	@	75
Grapes, ℔ box	75	@	1 00

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, January 5th.

Charles Henderson to Erwin J. Crane, lot on west line of Jackson street, 1572 feet north from Twelfth street or Central avenue, north 100 by west 172, Oakland; $10.

L. E. Hensler to Junius Heyman and Abraham Mayer, lot 17, block I, Golden Gate tract, subject to a mortgage for $250, Oakland township; $10.

Soren and Elsie M. Anderson to Hans H. Olsen, 22 acres, beginning at a point in center of road from Haywards through Cull canyon at southwest corner 223 12-acre tract of N. P. Jessen, thence northwest 1:09 chains, northwest 2.71 chains, northeast 1:00 chains, northwest 2.17 chains, northwest 5.80 chains northeast 3.79 chains, northeast .76 chains, northwest 1.35 chains, southeast 11.50 chains, southeast 12.50 chains, southwest 16 50 chains to beginning, Eden township; $10.

J. G. and Katie McCall, Hugh Wilson, John White, and W. E. Hall, assignee of J. G. McCall, insolvent debtor, by Sheriff to W. F. and A. W. Foster, executors of the estate of Alexander Montgomery, deceased; 11:08 acres, beginning at a point in south line of Mattox road, 22 66 chains east from northwest corner of Laurel Farm tract, said portion being at the intersection of the center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9 62 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip 20 feet wide along the west boundary above described; also 11.34 acres, beginning at a point in center of Strobridge avenue, southeast 9.62 chains from intersection of center line of Strobridge avenue with south line of Mattox road, thence northeast 11.52 chains by southeast 9.85 chains, reserving for road purposes a right of way over a strip of land 20 feet wide along the west and south boundaries of last above described tract, being lots 20 and 21, Laurel Farm, near Haywards, Eden township; $3000.

Alexander and Louise Campbell to O. K. Cleaveland, lot on south line of West Twelfth street, 104 feet west from Kirkham, west 40 by south 110, being portion of lot 26, Center-Street Home lots at Oakland Point, Oakland; $10.

James and Susanna Kenney to A. J. Samuel, lot on north line of Twelfth street, 38 feet east from Adeline, east 37 by north 95, Oakland, quitclaim deed; $142.

W. N. and Julia Winter and J. W. Arthur to John W. Butler, fractional part of block 25, bounded northeast by Jackson or East Eleventh street, southeast by Alameda street or Second avenue, southwest by Franklin street or East Tenth street, west by San Antonio creek and northwest by Bridge street or First avenue, East Oakland; $5.

James Stanley, administrator of the estate of Alfred Prot, to J. K. Orelup, lot on west line of Shattuck avenue, 210 feet south from Vine street, south 50 by west 135, Berkeley; $1263.

William T. and Emily Halliday to Lippman Sachs, lot 8, block B, Fanny Davenport tract subdivision of lot 6, Yoakum tract, Brooklyn township, warranty deed; $10.

Ambrosa Megahan to Christiana W. Megahan, 21 78 acres, commencing at a post standing at the northeast corner of the lands of George W. Kraft, thence southeast 19 16 chains to a stake set in the center of the Arroyo de los Alisos, thence northwest [illegible], southwest 7.72 chains, northwest 23 78 chains, northeast 13.61 chains to beginning, Washington township; gift.

ASKS FOR HER SHARE.

Miss Eda Collins Wants a House and Lot.

Miss Eda J. Collins today applied to the Superior Court for a partial distribution of the estate of her late mother, Catherine M. Collins. The latter left an estate valued at $83,340. The young lady says that under her mother's will she was bequeathed the house and lot on the southeast corner of Orchard and Webster streets. She now wants this property turned over to her at once.

Gold Bars on the Street.

There was a great deal of excitement on Eleventh street, near Broadway, at noon today. It was at first supposed that somebody had been injured, but it was afterwards ascertained that the crowd was attracted by curiosity to witness the transhipment to San Francisco of two immense gold bars by means of the Whitney Rapid Transfer Company, whose office is at 1072 Broadway, corner Tenth street.

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7:30 A	Atlantic Express for Ogden and East	6:10 A
7:30 A	Benicia, Vacaville, Rumsey, Sac. and Redding, via Davis	6:15 P
7:58 A	Martinez, Avon, San Ramon, Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:50 P
9:00 A	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, and Red Bluff	3:15 P
9:30 A	New Orleans Express, for Raymond (for Yosemite), Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	3:10 P
9:30 A	Santa Fe Route Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	10:10 A
9:30A	Martinez and Stockton	10:10 A
*9:30 A	Peters and Milton	*6:52 P
12:55 P	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	8:15 A
4:28 P	Martinez, Napa, San Ramon, Vallejo, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	8:50 A
4:38 P	Benicia, Vacaville, Esparto, Woodland, Knights Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	10:20 A
4:58 P	Niles, San Jose, Livermore, Stockton, Modesto, Merced and Fresno	6:52 P
5:33 P	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Tulare, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	10:10 A
6:23 P	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:15 A
6:30 P	European Mail for Ogden and East	9:20 A
§7:30 P	Vallejo	§7:20 P
7:30 P	Oregon Express for Sacramento, Marysville, Chico, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	10:20 A

NARROW GAUGE, 14th & FRANKLIN STS.

8 15 A.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz, Gilroy, Tres Pinos Watsonville, Pacific Grove, San Luis Obispo and way stations	5:44 P.
*2:15 P.	Newark, Centerville, San Jose, New Almaden, Felton, Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz and principal way stations	*11:14 A
4:15 P.	Centerville, San Jose and Los Gatos	9:41 A.
§11:15 P.	Hunters' train for Newark, Alviso, San Jose, Los Gatos and way stations	‡7.50 P.

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FROM FOURTEENTH AND FRANKLIN STREETS OAKLAND, TO SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:45 *6:15, *6:45, 7.15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:15, 9:45, 10:15 10:45, 11:15, 11:45 a. m. 12:15, 12:45, 1.15, 1:45 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 3.45, 4.15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15 6:45, 7:00, 8:33, 9:30, 10,45, 11:45 p. m.

FROM HIGH STREET, ALAMEDA, to SAN FRANCISCO, DAILY—*5:32, *6:02, *6:32, 7:02, 7:32, 8:02 8:32, 9:02, 9:32, 10:02, 10:32, 11:02, 11:32 a. m. 12:02, 12:32, 1:02, 1:32, 2:02, 2:32, 3:02, 3:32, 4:02, 4:32, 5:02, 5.32, 6:02, 6:32, 7:17, 8:17, 9:17, 10:[illegible] 11:31 p. m.

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Real Estate	3,795 18	
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Office furniture	601 84	
Other sundry assets	552 65	
Cash on hand	541 60	
		$41,894 31

LIABILITIES.

Dues paid—all Series	$28,230 00	
Net profit to all stock	6,20[illegible] 08	
Paid up stock	5,000 00	
Bills payable	1,000 00	
Sundry other liabilities	765 23	
		$41,894 31

VALUE OF SHARES.

FIRST SERIES—Paid in per Share	$ 48 00	
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4.55 P. M.	4.30 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS

9 15 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10.55 A. M.	10.15 A. M.
12:55 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1.55 P. M.	1:15 P. M.
4 55 P. M.	4:15 P. M.

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Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California,—Department Three.

In the matter of Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, an insolvent debtor. Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A Massimo, an insolvent debtor, having applied to this Court for a discharge from his debts and liabilities.

It is hereby ordered that the Clerk of this Court give notice to all creditors who have proved their debts to appear before this Court, at the courtroom of Department No. 3 thereof, on the 9th day of February, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and show cause, if any they have, why the said Massimo Andreano, sometimes called A. Massimo, should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided, and from all liabilities.

It is further ordered that notice of said application be given to the creditors by mail and by publication at least once a week for four weeks in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper published in said county.

Done in open Court this January 4, 1895.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: Filed Jan. 4, 1895.

JAMES E. CRANE, County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of RACHEL M. CARD, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of E. C. Chapman, Attorney-at-Law, Mills Building, room 33, eighth floor, San Francisco, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

EBENEZER CARD,

Administrator of the estate of Rachel M. Card, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 7th, 1894.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of SAMUEL FURTER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrices, at the office of Snook & Church, room 3, Courthouse, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned select as their place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

MARIA S. FURTER,

EMMA MARIA FURTER,

Executrices of the estate of Samuel Furter, deceased.

Dated Oakland, December 13, 1894.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Executrices.

LEGAL.

Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

CALIFORNIA TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST COMPANY (a corporation), Plaintiff.

vs.

CONSOLIDATED PIEDMONT CABLE COMPANY (a corporation), Defendant.

Order to show cause.

It appearing to this Court from the petition this day presented and filed by Ira Bishop, the duly appointed, qualified and acting receiver of the Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company above named, that the receipts of said receiver from the operation of the railroad of defendant company from all sources for the year ending November first, 1894, and also for the month of November, 1894, are not sufficient to pay the expenses of operating said railway, and the liabilities incurred by said receiver in connection with his receivership, and that it also appears that for some months to come the receipts of said receiver will not meet his expenses.

It is hereby ordered that the stockholders and bondholders of said defendant, Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, and all others interested therein, show cause, if any they may have, before this Court at a regular term thereof, to be held at the courtroom of Department 1, in the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, and State of California, on Monday, the seventh day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, why the said Ira Bishop, as such receiver, should not be authorized and directed to borrow a sum of money not exceeding $30,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to meet the expenses of operating the railroad for said defendant, under the direction of this Court, from time to time, as such moneys may be required, and the indebtedness incurred by said receiver and pay the same as it accrues from month to month, and to issue to the person or persons advancing the said sum, or sums, of money, his debentures or certificates of $500 each, with coupons or interest warrants attached, providing for the payment of interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, the said debentures or certificates, together with the said coupons or interest warrants, to be signed by such receiver, and the same to be and constitute the first lien upon all of the property of every nature and description of said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company, within the lien of the mortgage made by said Consolidated Piedmont Cable Company to the California Title Insurance & Trust Company on the 5th day of May, 1890, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, in Liber 211 of Mortgages, page 119, after the first, second and third series of receiver's certificates heretofore issued by said receiver, under and pursuant to orders by this Court made and entered on the 10th day of January, 1894, and on the 28th day of February, 1894, and on the 27th day of November, 1894, respectively, and amounting to $63,500 with interest, are first paid.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a day for three successive days before the day of hearing in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Alameda, and also once a day for three successive days in the *Evening Bulletin*, a newspaper printed and published in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and also that at least five days prior to the said day of hearing, a copy of this order be deposited in the Postoffice, addressed to each and all of the stockholders and bondholders of said company, known to the said receiver, and that the same be addressed to the last known address of each of said stockholders and bondholders, the postage thereon being fully prepaid.

Dated this 29th day of December, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN

Judge.

C. H. WILSON, Attorney for Receiver, 530 California street, San Francisco.

MEETING NOTICES

Annual Meeting Stockholders.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS Bank of Oakland, California.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 1103 Broadway, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of

EDSON F. ADAMS, President.

JAMES C. McKEE, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Union Savings Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the banking house, southeast corner Ninth and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKland, Cal., December 15, 1894. The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, Oakland, on Monday, January 14, 1895, at three o'clock P. M.

ISAAC L. REQUA, President.

Annual Meeting Stockholders Union National Bank.

THE TWENTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the Union National Bank of Oakland, California, will be held at the office of the Corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 o'clock P. M.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Central Bank of Oakland, California, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets on Tuesday, January 8, 1895, at 3 P. M.

W. G. PALMANTEER, Vice-President.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNTain View Cemetery Association will be held in the parlors of the Central Bank, at 3 P. M. on Monday, January 7, 1895.

I. P. OUTRAM, Secretary.

Oakland, December 21, 1894.

Probate Notice.

No. 4186.—Department 4.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John G. Hertle, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of John G. Hertle, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie J. Taveria, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said court, at the courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 3, 1895.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Deputy Clerk.

J. R. PEISSOL, Attorney for Petitioner, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California—No. 4175, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Hannah J. Adams, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Hannah J. Adams, deceased, and for the issuance to Edson F. Adams and John C. Adams of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 28, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,

By N. G. STURTEVANT, Clerk.

Deputy Clerk.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4140, Department 1.

In the matter of the estate of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Henry T. Burckhalter, deceased, and for the issuance to Letitia J. Burckhalter of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the courtroom of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 26, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE, Clerk.

By ROBERT C. BEACH, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, a Corporation, in the County of Alameda, Other Than in Any City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution of water, in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed. All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this board, and this board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate payers and to the said corporation, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established, to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by it of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any city or town therein.

For houses or tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water-closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building), covering a ground surface of

Square Feet.	One Story	Two Stories	Three Stories and upwards
1 to 400	$ 45	$ 67	$ 75
401 " 500	60	83	95
501 " 600	65	95	1 10
601 " 700	75	1 15	1 30
701 " 800	85	1 27	1 45
801 " 900	95	1 41	1 65
901 " 1000	1 05	1 55	1 70
1001 " 1200	1 10	1 65	1 80
1201 " 1400	1 15	1 72	1 90
1401 " 1600	1 20	1 80	2 05
1601 " 1800	1 25	1 8[illegible]	2 0[illegible]
1801 " 2000	1 30	1 95	2 20
2001 " 2200	1 35	2 02	2 25
2201 " 2400	1 [illegible]	2 10	2 35
2401 " 2600	[illegible]	2 15	2 [illegible]
2601 " 2800	[illegible]	2 25	2 [illegible]
2801 " 3000	[illegible]	2 [illegible]	2 [illegible]
3001 " 3200	[illegible]	2 40	2 70
3201 " 3400	[illegible]	2 45	2 85
3401 " 3600	[illegible]	2 55	2 95
3601 " 3800	[illegible]	2 6[illegible]	3 05
3801 " 4000	[illegible]	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4000 square feet five cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family, in addition to the foregoing rates one half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified, $0 10.

For each day boarder, $0 05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying lodging, living or staying within the same, $0 05.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0 01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes, at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectioneries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0 75 to $7 50 or, in case of disagreement in estimates, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, according to the quantity of water used, at meter rates

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $ 20.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling $0 15

For each water closet for use of hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to or used by other than one private family, $1 75

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0 25.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0 10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0 10

For each bathtub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools or accessible to other than one private family, $1 75.

Each bathtub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1 25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and ground, five mills (½ cent) per square yard per month payable every month in the year; *provided*, that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2 40 per year

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot, for each additional lineal front foot, one-half a cent. Hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¼ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable including water for washing one vehicle, $0 40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0 35.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0 25.

Provided, that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0 40.

Each cow, $0 15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0 15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying bricks, $0 25.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0 05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in a ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0 03.

Bakeries, according to the monthly use of flour, for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1 00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2 50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25 00.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50 00.

For the water used for sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district, of the number of casks or sprinkling wagon loads used, of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road district monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers or employes, or persons authorized by the county or its officers, for flushing and cleaning sewers shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of twenty-five cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purposes, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumers request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from such examination that any consumer is excessively using or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of April, A. D., 1895.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, December 24, 1894, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Martin, Johnston and Pelouze.

Noes—None.

Absent, Chairman Morgan.

HIRAM BAILEY,

Chairman pro tem of Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

Attest: JAMES E. CRANE,

[SEAL] Clerk of Board.

By T. M. CRAWFORD,

Deputy Clerk.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Mary Josephine Cordano, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Mary Josephine Cordano having filed in this court her petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that she is an insolvent debtor, the said Mary Josephine Cordano is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda county, be, and he is, hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent; and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500, conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Mary Josephine Cordano, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all her deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of her estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to her, or to any person, firm, corporation, or association for her use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 1, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the county of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published, before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 14th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,

Judge of the Superior Court.

HIRAM A. LUTTRELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Oakland Cal.

Adjudication of Insolvency.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Martin M. Samson, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Martin M. Samson having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Martin M. Samson is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that Robert McKillican, Sheriff of Alameda County, be, and he is hereby appointed receiver of the property of said insolvent, and that upon his giving a bond to the People of the State of California, in the sum of $500 conditioned as required by law, and qualifying, he take charge and possession of all of the estate, real and personal, of said Martin M. Samson, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for and dispose of the same until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession, are hereby directed to pay the same to said receiver, and that said receiver keep the said property, or the proceeds thereof, till the further order of this Court. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, Department No. 4, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, in the County of Alameda, on the 21st day of January, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated December 12th, 1894.

F. B. OGDEN,

Judge of the Superior Court.

Indorsed: Filed December 12, 1894.

JAMES E. CRANE,

County Clerk.

By N. G. STURTEVANT,

Deputy Clerk.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—SAVINGS AND LOAN Society, 101 Montgomery street, corner Sutter, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

CYRUS W. CARMANY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — THE OAKLAND Bank of Savings, Oakland Cal.—For the six months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal, from and after January 1, 1895.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE—MUTUAL SAVINGS Bank of San Francisco, 33 Post street. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and four (4) per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, January 2, 1895.

GEO. A. STORY, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, 532 California street, corner of Webb—For the half year ending with the 31st day of December, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and eight-tenths (4 8-10) per cent per annum on term Deposits and four (4) per cent per annum on ordinary deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d of January, 1895.

LOVELL WHITE, Cashier.

Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank of Oakland, Cal.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — FOR THE SIX months ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three-quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on savings deposits, payable on and after Wednesday, the 2d day of January, 1895. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND California—A dividend has been declared to depositors for the six months ending December 31, 1894, at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term accounts, payable on and after January 2, 1895.

A. E. H. CRAMER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE — CENTRAL BANK Oakland, Cal., for the six months ending December 31st, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four and three quarters (4¾) per cent per annum on all term deposits payable on and after January 1, 1895. Said dividend, if not called for, to be added to principal and draw like interest from January 1, 1895.

C. R. YATES, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. — THE GERMAN Savings and Loan Society, 526 California street, San Francisco. For the half year ending December 31, 1894, a dividend has been declared at the rate of [illegible] per cent per annum on Term Deposits, and [illegible] per cent per annum on Ordinary Deposits, payable on and after [illegible]

VERY LIVELY.

Society Gayly Welcomes in the New Year.

A Host of Pleasant Parties Are Given.

Comments by the Meddler on the Doings of the Week.

There are no complaints from me this week and I'm sure you will be glad. I am usually fretting over some kind of commission, or more frequently of omission But this week there have been several charming affairs with the prospect of many more. We are to be entertained extensively in the near future and there is a rustle of voluminous silken skirts and the events of huge sleeves, casting shadows before.

Isn't it under old business that those ladies who have executive ability clean up all the left-over things that litter their ministerial tables? Well, this is old business. It is about the word of caution and advice I gave so generously last week to the men of this burg. All this week I have been hearing complaints, but none from girls. We girls all say, "It is quite time. We have quantities of callers but we always go out with papa or mamma. Why? Oh, for the best reason in the world. Nobody else asks us."

Now I want it distinctly understood that the Oakland girls do not object to callers. Quite the contrary, they like to be called on. But they also like to be taken out. It is more fun to go to places under male escort. And Harry, Frank and Fred mustn't be angry because I told the truth. It is not lack of money. Praiseworthy economy is all very well, but our girls do not expect to be taken to the theater in a carriage. We are quite plebeian. (or is it sensible?) in that respect and are accustomed to shopping, calls and theaters without carriages. Our men go to the theater. There is a respectable list I could mention, which is always represented. I'll do a little sum for you, my friends. Instead of patronizing two performances of Salvini in a stag crowd, costing three dollars, go once and take the girl upon whom you call with pleasing frequency and regularity. It is a choice between two performances at three dollars or two seats at one performance, three dollars. Where is the extravagance? But I can see quite readily where a certain other desirable trait comes in. If you select the girl carefully I will guarantee that you won't have any less fun, either. There now, for new business.

The most important thing I have to tell you about is the Requa breakfast, which happened last Thursday morning at 11:30 o'clock. I can tell you it was the swellest thing Mrs. Requa has given since that memorable affair to the foreign dames of high degree. And this time, too, it was in honor of a titled guest, Sir Rivers Wilson of England, a guest of the Requas. In the first place, it was one of the most unique table decorations I have ever seen. It does not sound as pretty as it looked, but I can affirm that the effect was simply charming. The room was in holly and red berries, and on the damask cloth gorgeous violets were scattered with a lavish hand. They were long-stemmed, fresh and odorous, and there must have been hundreds of them. Their perfume filled the room, and they looked exactly as though embroidered upon the cloth.

We breakfasted for two hours, for the menu was most elaborate, but I never heard brighter conversation flow and ripple about a table. Every one was charmed with the guest of honor, and some Oakland people, as well as a number of San Franciscans, had been invited to meet him.

The menu, as I said before, was delightful. There were ten courses, including a number of rare and dainty dishes, and five kinds of wine. I don't remember half the things they had, but at Mrs. Requa's the substantials of the feast are never neglected, you know. The dessert was charmingly unique and a delicate compliment to the guest of honor. The principal dish was individual plum puddings, each one boiled in a separate bag, and all brought upon the table burning. It was awfully English, and pretty, too, as well as good to the taste.

The guests were: Sir Rivers Wilson, Mr. Greniel, Mrs. Worden (Mrs. Towne's daughter), Mrs. A. N. Towne, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Mills, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Ralston and Claire, Mr. and Mrs. Requa, Amy and Mark. Wasn't that a representative company?

The J. C. Rueds of Eighth street gave a New Year eve party to the younger set. It was as happy as only a party on that night could be, and there were games, music and frolic, as well as dancing. Near midnight some good stories were told around a crackling fire and they said good-by to old '94 right merrily. All the younger set were there, especially representatives from our good German families, of whom we have a number.

On New Year's Day there was a wedding at the Harvey's on Filbert street. It was a very pretty wedding at the odd and unusual hour of half past four. At five there was the wedding tea, as I suppose it would probably be called. There were sixty guests at table—twelve around the large circular table, sacred to the bride, and the rest at twelve tete-a-tete tables. The tea was daintily served and arranged and it seemed to me that the bright talk, bright faces and general air of happiness in the dining-room, was one of the most charming features of the entire wedding. Miss [illegible] entered, and after all the toasts had been drunk and the bride had cut the cake they went gayly away, beginning the [illegible] and the new year all on the same [illegible] a holly berry wedding, as so many have been this winter. All the [illegible] of the pretty bright crimson [illegible] room was especially cheer[illegible] There is something delightful [illegible] wedding. Of course, it [illegible] and wedding gifts into [illegible] proximity, but it lends a [illegible] is, what is far too apt to be a tearful occasion. Miss Smith, the bride, is a relative of Mrs. Harvey, and the groom, Mr. Pratt, is a very good-looking man with many friends in Oakland. At the bride's table were Misses Smith, Clark Gamble, Vassalt, Mrs. Harvey, Messrs. Bandell, Harvey, Phelps, Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, beside the bride and groom.

The bridal pair stood under a bower of ferns and pink roses in the drawing room during the ceremony, but the dining room with its decorations of smilax and berries seemed prettiest to me.

We will, of course, all be at the Macdonough on Monday and Tuesday next to see *Aladdin Jr.* I had the pleasure of witnessing it across the bay, and I can assure you it is one of the daintiest, prettiest, most enjoyable performances that has ever come to the coast, and I am sure we all ought to be very much obliged to Manager Charles Cook for bringing it to Oakland. Society will honor the event in what we call "en masse," and I anticipate a most delightful time, for everybody will be there.

The Haights gave a perfectly ideal New Year dinner on Tuesday. It was purely a family affair, but entirely delightful, and I'll tell you about it. It was at the Haight family homestead, and all the Haights, the Tompkins families, the Bayleys, John Burns and his brother, and Mr. Hackett were there. It was a pretty dinner at 7 o'clock, and quite elaborate, for there are a lot of young people among the connection, and their bright faces illuminated the board. After dinner there was singing.

Miss Mary Williams gives a dinner this Friday evening to a round dozen of guests. It is to be a red dinner, red berries, red shades and red lights, and though an awful night I am sure nobody will miss it. I'll tell you about it next week.

Those indefatigable entertainers, the Colemans, gave a luncheon on Thursday also. Miss Jessie was the hostess, and from all accounts it was a charming affair. I'm really tired writing that cant phrase about the Coleman's affairs, but what can I do when vocabularies are not unlimited and everything at the Coleman house is perfect in conception and detail? Unfortunately for everybody Miss Jessie was ill and obliged to stay in her room, but the guests were there, the good things were on the table and the luncheon went on. Mrs. Coleman sat down at the table to prevent the odious combination of thirteen. But we girls are not superstitious; oh no. Kate Clement was, as usual, the life of the table, and all Miss Coleman's particular friends were there.

The best of it all is that there are several stars in the future sky. I never can endure to think that all the fun is over and gone. From all the indications I predict that January is to be a merrie, merrie month. You watch and judge of my prophetic powers by the outcome. I received cards to Mrs. Jesse Wall's reception this week. It is to be dancing as well as conversation, and the date is set for the 11th. Of course Etta and Bessie Wall, Mrs. Glascock and Jessie will assist as hostesses. It is some time since the Walls have given a large affair of this kind, and I'm so glad it is to be in an evening instead of an afternoon tea—all talk and no fun. The house is to be canvassed and Huber's orchestra will play. We are all counting on it and saving our best gowns for the occasion. We haven't forgotten the fun we used to have at the Wall's when they lived in the old house. Look for the gayest girl there and you will see me. There is to be a big crowd and none of the invited would miss it—not for a farm, as our New England ancestors used to say.

Mrs. C. O. G. Miller gave a dinner on Thursday evening. It was pretty and well arranged, as all Mrs. Miller's dinners are, and the cosy Jackson street house never looked prettier. It was somewhat in the nature of a farewell I am sorry to say, for Mrs. Miller is going away, you know.

Mrs. A. A. Moore has sent out cards for a tea on the 11th, from 3 to 6 o'clock. We haven't been up there all in a body for some time. There are over 200 cards, I hear, so prepare for a crush about 5 o'clock. Miss Ethel Moore, the eldest daughter, is home this winter and will assist in receiving. The Moores also have a very pretty last daughter, Carmen, who goes to Miss Head's school in Berkeley, and will make her debut a winter or so hence. The Moores are charming people and entertain well, but the girls are bookish and care little for society. They are all good talkers and extremely well read, but they have rather too much in their heads to care very deeply for amusement as a business, instead of as a pastime. Later in the winter the Moores will give a dancing party.

But this week, most of the talk, after all, has been "Reliance, Reliance," and our local club has blocked up the whole horizon. They have been very much alive, as always, and we're proud of them—our boys. On Friday night they gave a musicale, you know, which was very interesting. There was not as large a crowd as usual, because outside men were smuggled in against the rules. This affair was for members and their lady friends and we breathed in comfort. The music was exceptionally good, especially the singing of the Reliance Glee Club, which is all that is admirable as regards technique and expression. The voices that make it up are good, too. There was no dancing this time, but when the concert was over, we talked in the reading and reception rooms and discussed the approaching game, then shrouded in interesting and delightful mystery.

At the game on New Year's Day I was surprised not to see a larger representation from Oakland. We ought to attend and applaud every thing the Reliance Club does. I'm sure they have done enough for us this winter to demand the return favor. Of course there were a good many of our girls at the game. I saw Miss Pringle in bright green, Miss Tina Goodal, Louie Bromwell, Miss Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell, *nee* Miss Bessie Gaskill, Dr. and Mrs. Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ewing and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan. Most of the Oakland girls occupied the upper tier of boxes. One reason, I presume, why more of them were not there was that the Reliance boys were to be hosts at a banquet in the Palace Hotel in the evening. As a result several who are the most devoted and attentive of cavaliers were there alone, as it would be impossible to escort the girls home and then re-cross the bay in time for the banquet.

Of course we were all charmed with the result of the game, though there be those who sympathize naturally with the under dog and so were sorry that our visitors were beaten so hard. Only a few colors were seen, because the rival banners are so near alike that it is difficult to distinguish them. Bert Oliver was the hero of the day. In the evening the banquet was most successful. It was gay with humor, music and toasts. There were no wines, you know, to the disgust of many. But the omission was in accordance with the express wish of Manager Stagg, who said, very manfully, that as there were three ministers in the team and the majority of the eleven did not approve of it wine would have to be dispensed with if the Chicago were to accept the hospitality. Of course that settled it. Some of the boys rather lost interest in the event after that, but I guess it was about as well for all concerned. The Glee Club sang a number of songs—one of them being the Chicago nine's yell, cleverly set to music. The banquet moved off very "felicitously," as someone said, and every man seemed to be enjoying himself to the height of his ability. The football men were, of course, the belles, if you can call it so, notwithstanding the fact of some slight contusions and wounds, more disfiguring than serious. It was a merry, merry supper, and from all Jack tells me I wish I had been there.

What do you think Mrs. Requa tried to do? It was the loveliest plan, if it had only succeeded, as it certainly would have done if our mothers had co-operated with her properly. It was this way. Mrs. Requa wanted to hire the Tabernacle, have it properly draped, decorated and warmed and give a huge party there, to which no less than 160 of the most charming people around the bay should be bidden. The patronesses of the Deux Temps were to be the hostesses, leaving the invitation list with the young people—properly supervised, of course. The Tabernacle was to have been canvassed and the entertainment was to have been a cotillon, with a good supper afterward. The credit for the idea belongs entirely to Mrs. Requa, and the affair would have been the glory of the Deux Temps. But alas for day dreams. The other patronesses, whose daughters and sons dance the german, were horrified at the originality and unconventionality of the idea. "Monstrous," they said. "Impossible, absurd. Fancy the Tabernacle to dance in. How funny." Thus their conventional ideas rose in horror at the idea of something really novel, although Mrs. Requa, who is quite capable of carrying anything through, offered to assume all the responsibility if the others would only assist her. This, they refused to do, so the gay scheme faded away like a soap bubble, and we are to have small parties and no really big ball. I'm afraid we are provincial here after all, though I try not to think so.

Well, I think that is all for this week. May next week prove as enjoyable. I wish you a very good night and restored from the good cheer of Christmas and New Year, ever the usual cynical MEDDLER.

THE MILLER PARTY.

Last Tuesday night was one of the stormiest that the people of this city have experienced in many a year. But it could not effect the ardor of the young people who had been invited to the party given to the dancing class of Miss Miller, which took place that evening in Masonic Hall.

In many respects, the gathering was an attractive one. Many of the attendants had not, in years, long passed boyhood and girlhood, but they had all attained to that age which enables them to appreciate all the pleasures of youth. The male attendants were cavalierly in their attentions, and the young women received those attentions with a grace as charming as it was easy and unaffected.

The young gentlemen were in evening suits, and the young ladies displayed excellent taste in their costumes. Many of the latter were characterized by extreme simplicity, but were not on that account less becoming and attractive. The general characteristic of the hop was that which distinguished the recent senior class and Caesar class parties, nearly all the participants being in attendance either upon some of the local public schools, academies or the University.

The dance programme was varied by a little dash of the german, two figures being danced, the driving figure and the Christmas tree. In the latter, a huge fir tree was decorated and then brought into the dance hall, the lights of which were lowered. Chinese lanterns were lighted, and the ladies were intrusted with them to search, at times, for their partners. Both figures were carried out in a most successful manner, the latter especially finding favor with the chaperones, of whom there was quite a large number present.

Miss Miller had many willing assistants in the management of the party, but her chief support, and it was valuable, too, came from Joseph J. Rosborough.

The first ten couples in the grand march and the german were as follows: J. J. Rosborough and Miss Etta Havens, Dan Belden and Miss Bessie Palmer, Corie Cregg and Miss Clara Harding, Fred Conklin and Miss Irene Clark, Harry Chickering and Miss Pauline Fore, Paul Selby and Miss Florence Sharon, W. E. Creed and Miss Mamie Kent, Claud Sharon and Miss Bertha McElrath, Fred Diekman and Miss Irene Baker, Clarence Creedan and Miss Jones.

The other guests were: Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Emma Greenwood, Miss Beatrice Vrooman, Miss Helen Nelson, Miss Alma Brown, Miss Annie Harvey, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Grace Gorrill, Miss Sadie Whitney, Miss Mamie Kent, Miss Anita Loesch, Miss Nicholson, Miss Carrie Cott, Miss Mazie Otey, Miss Mary Donnelly, Miss Edith Gaskill, Miss Willard, Miss Florence Treadwell, Miss Florence Walker, Miss Mabel Gunn, Miss Myra O'Brien, Miss Anna Pratt, Miss Susie Holcomb, Miss Miner, Miss Baker, Miss Ione Fore, Misses Lohse, Irene Clarke, Miss Staples, Miss Brown, Miss Clift, Miss Pratt, Miss Grimwald, Miss Edith Kelley, Miss Hattie Kelley.

Messrs. Bert Brown, Harold Harvey, Max Taft, George Sessions, James Kent, Milton Spalding, Paul Selby, William Thorne, Wickford Havens, Anthony Kaeser, George Maither, Fritz Christ, Mott Grossmeyer, Ralph Parkinson, Homer Craig, Arthur Tasheira, Walter Dayton, William Willard, Mr. Newell, Mr. Thornton, W. Hardy, Paul Miller, Mr. Spaulding, Charles Chapman, Mr. Miller, Mr. Stone, Mr. Tuft, Beach Dean, Clido Carmen, Mr. Ransome, Russell Whitney, Charles Lowrey, Mr. Hoffman, Ray Guppy, Allen Rudolph, Mr. Deckman, Mr. Brow.

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BALL OF COMPANY F.

The most elaborate party, by means of which good-by was taken of the old year, was that given by Company F, Fifth Regiment of Infantry, National Guards of California, last Monday night. It was the eighteenth gathering of the kind which that company has held, and, in numbers and character, was superior to any of those that preceded it.

It took place in Military Hall, and the spacious apartment was filled with the friends of the organization.

The hall was decorated in a handsome and thorough manner.

The decorations began at the entrance of the stairs leading to the hall, the steps being carpeted, the sides being hung with national colors and the landing illuminated with parti-colored lights.

The reception room was also decorated with flags, and the same kind of ornamentation characterized the main hall. There is not much variety in color, ordinarily, in flag decoration, but, in this instance, so varied were the designs into which the national emblem had been worked, and so harmonious was their adjustment, that wherever the eye turned it found relief and pleasing effect.

It was the most elaborate decorative work of the kind ever done in this city and was universally appreciated. It was a departure from the decoration by means of palms and ferns, which has become so common, and in some respects afforded relief to eyes which have long been familiar with other species of ornamentation.

The dance programme comprised eighteen numbers, and the medley was not reached until the first day of '95 was already old.

Instead of dancing the old year out and the new year in, "taps" was sounded at midnight by Musician Johnson, the soldiers' farewell was given by a firing squad composed of Sergeant Hintermeyer, Sergeant Rennie and Corporals Harvey, Kennedy and Covalt.

The pages of the programme contained beautifully illuminated pictures of camp life.

This party was under the management of the following:

Committee of Arrangements — Lieutenant C. L. E. Wenk, Corporal H. E. Harvey, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Private C. O. Moe, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private J. Stutt, Private J. G. Black.

Floor Director—Major J. F. Hayes. Assistant—Private J. A. Stutt. Aids—Corporal E. W. Snow, Private J. G. Black, Private A. W. Blakely, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private C. O. Moe.

Reception Committee—Captain G. H. Wethern, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Sergeant C. A. Pearce, Private J. Magguns.

Among those present were: Miss A. Vassing, Miss Etta Eoes, Miss Annie Wethern, Miss Maud Liny, Miss Blanche McCormick, Miss Maud Sinclair, Miss Ella Good, Miss Annie Good, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Alderson, Miss Minnie Howage, Miss Florence McArthur, Miss Aggie Sturtevant, Miss Lydia Sturtevant, Miss Lillie Murphy, Miss Blanch Wimble, Miss Mamie Summers, Miss Nolan, Miss Jessie Katherine, Miss Moore, Miss March, Miss Rattinger, Miss Muldren, Miss Daisy Bridges, Miss Sibley, Miss Copp, Miss Lou Burze, Miss Gailord, Miss Belle Hamilton, Miss Allison, Miss Cunningham, Miss Muldoon, Miss Patterson, Miss Mabel Sangley, Miss Ella Moe, Miss Ida Moe, Miss J. W. Vance, Miss Ella Copp, Miss Eva Copp, Miss Jennie Hildreth, Miss Maud Stutt, Miss Ida Smith, Miss L. Fannon, Miss Rose Cotha, Mrs. G. H. Wethern, Mrs. Garmin, Mrs. Ravals, Miss Bessie Hamilton, Mrs. Skaggs, Mrs. Syblo, Mrs. J. G. Black, Mrs. J. Magunnis, Mrs. Joe Schott.

Colonel D. B. Fairbanks, commander of the Fifth; Captain Rattanzi, Lieutenant Bolina, Major J. F. Hayes, Major Dunn, Captain G. H. Wethern, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Lieutenant L. E. Wenk, Captain H. T. Coulter, Messrs. A. Cook, H. L. Cunningham, G. C. Cunningham, O. Marston, A. Gerhardy, W. Watson, W. A. Young, Y. Duddy, J. Garner, A. Heimer, J. Hempel, H. Devers, F. Burns, E. Lymauce, W. F. Howland, G. Hughes, C. Summers, A. W. Whitaker, Joe Bouquet, W. Downie, B. Birdsall, E. Theobald, G. Griffin, W. B. Jones, J. J. Hughes, E. Voorhees, W. F. Pettis, G. Rastall, I. Bronner, E. Murray, J. Anderson, W. Barstow, F. M. Manon, A. Bealin, E. Pettis, D. J. Crippins, F. Mullon, O. Dally, C. Leach, P. Measer, R. B. Duff, M. Stono, J. White, W. Easton, F. Petterson, E. Hunter, G. W. Batner, C. Flora, F. Edwards, H. Vissing, G. A. Tyrrell, A. W. Blakely, F. G. Thompson, Joe Schott, F. S. Sarrat, J. M. McCrudden, W. F. Johnson, J. G. Black, G. T. Crowin, A. G. Mitchell, C. O. Moe, F. Parsons, H. Parsons, A. S. Phelps, George Reed, J. H. Stutt, H. T. Vissing, E. O. Williams, S. Baxley.

A PLEASANT OUTING.

Several members of the Claremont Tennis Club of Berkeley have been spending a few days at the Spiers ranch near Haywards. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Ben Morgan. The members of the party were as follows: Miss Garber, Miss Duff, Miss Stillman, Miss Williams and Messrs. Rickard, Veeder, Stringham, John Bakewell and T. V. Bakewell. Besides these was a number of visitors.

MASON—RATHJEN.

Last Friday night W. C. Mason of this city was united in marriage to Miss Sophie Rathjen at the residence of the bride's parents, 1116 Thirteenth avenue. The home was beautifully decorated and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Seraphine of St. Elizabeth's Church, Bray avenue, Fruit Vale. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Schlueter, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Alex Rosborough, Miss Kittie Judge and Mrs. Kittie Cosbie of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown.

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CENTRAL LODGE BALL.

Central Lodge, No. 251, Ancient Order of United Workmen, brought the old year to a close and ushered in the new one in a manner which will always be considered of a most successful character in the history of the organization. The festivity was held in Montana Hall on Seventh street, near Adeline, and attracted a large number of the friends and members of the order.

The first part of the evening was devoted to literary and musical exercises, as follows:

Piano solo ..... Miss N. E. Flahavan
Song ..... Hon. H. Melvin
Accompanist, Miss N. E. Flavahan.
Address ..... G. P. M. J. Adams
Song ..... Miss Alice O'Connell
Accompanist, Miss M. O'Connell.
Address ..... G. D., D. S. Hirshberg
Song ..... Mrs. Brade
Local orders ..... D. D., James Patterson
Specialties ..... M. Cronin
Club swinging ..... Charles Namberg

Then followed a choice programme of dancing of about a dozen numbers.

The Committee of Arrangements had spared no pains to make the affair a success and were well rewarded for its efforts. The members of it were as follows: W. J. O'Connell, William Flahaven, J. E. Parkinson, A. G. Foster, S. M. Horgan, C. Gilman.

The other officers were as follows: Floor Manager—William H. Flanagan. Assistants—S. M. Horgan, A. J. Foster, J. C. Parkinson.

THE OLD YEAR OUT.

Miss Mae Lawrence entertained a number of young friends from this city on New Year's eve at her home on McPherson street, Alameda. The evening was spent in a pleasant manner, vocal and instrumental music and dancing being indulged in.

Those present were: Miss May Nelson, Miss Minnie Higgins, Miss Hannah Levy, Miss Gertrude Chester, Miss Annie Cummings, Miss Gertrude Ashe, Miss Kate Cummings, Miss Ella Cannon, Miss Hannah Qualey, Miss Julia Hickey, Miss Annie Nelson, Miss Laura Smith, Miss Maggie Hammond, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Julia Hammond, Miss Isabelle Hopkins, Miss Sadie Burns, Miss Florence Shultis, Miss Augusta Shuman, Miss Evalena Lawrence, Miss Annie Winters, Miss May Daly, Miss Ella O'Brien, Miss Aggie O'Brien, Mrs. Joseph Lawrence.

Messrs. Joe McPherson, Harry Monahan, Elmo Harvey, Paul Stahl, Henry Smith, Frank Silvaria, Joe Lewis, Harry Smith, Bennie Silvaria, Fred Robinson, A. P. Stuefvater, J. Cribbens, F. Meranda, M. Meranda, A. Fisher, H. Foley, T. Dunleavy, J. J. Knught, George Wulzen, T. Shortall, W. Toner, C. Blunt, E. Shultis.

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A SILVER JUBILEE.

On Christmas last, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crocker celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The event was one of a great deal of pleasure to their friends. In honor of the occasion the bride and groom of a quarter of a century ago were tendered a reception by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of 538 Simpson avenue. Four generations were represented in the gathering, and all the guests entered into the spirit of the occasion, and passed the evening in a most pleasant manner. Among those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schellhaas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tate and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Sack and daughter, Mrs. Catherine Schellhaas, Matt Schellhaas, the Misses Katie and Lizzie Hambright and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crocker.

An additional feature of interest was the receipt of a number of congratulatory telegrams from certain points in Wisconsin and Illinois, which impressed on Mr. and Mrs. Crocker in a most effective manner the esteem in which they are held by their distant friends.

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KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE

A string orchestra has recently been formed in East Oakland which calls itself the "Knights of the Round Table." They took the name because they play about a round table.

The orchestra of strings meets on Monday evenings at the home of Mrs. Gilbert L. Curtiss and there are ten members, five of whom play guitars and five who play mandolins. At present the club is led by one of the members, but in a month it is to be led by the Sherwood sisters.

They have been practicing now for six months, have mastered fifteen numbers and will soon be ready to give a parlor musicale. At the close of each meeting's practice there is solo work by the guitars.

All the members are well known in East Oakland. Among them are Miss Josephine Nesbitt, Miss May McCabe, Miss Dewing, Miss Hazel Curtiss and Mrs. Curtiss.

"CHICAGOED," THEN DINED.

The members of the Reliance Athletic Club invited the young athletes of the Chicago University to a disastrous defeat on New Year's Day, and afterwards extended to them most generous hospitality in the shape of a grand dinner in the Maple Room of the Palace Hotel. There were present all the members of the Reliance football team, comprising Messrs. Sherman, McMillan, B. and M. Oliver, Sullivan, Smith, Pringle, Sherrard, Wyckoff, Clemens, Walton, Frick, besides the following invited guests: R. M. Fitzgerald, P. M. Remillard, A. Rosborough, George P. Morrow, Dr. H. S. Pelton, Judge A. L. Frick, Colonel Edwards, John Cadman, Will Eder, and the Glee Club, which consists of the following members: R. Coldwell, H. W. Baker, C. W. Crist, D. M. Cornell, A. D. Gaskill, H. W. Thomas, Dr. H. Carlton and M. J. Jellett.

There were also present the members of the Chicago eleven, who made a presentable appearance notwithstanding the struggle in which they had taken part during the afternoon.

R. M. Fitzgerald acted as toastmaster. The usual sentiments were proposed and responded to in a very entertaining manner. The dinner, aside from the elaborate character of the *menu*, was remarkable for the good feeling which prevailed and the exalted opinion which the visitors carried away of Californian hospitality. It was regretted that the Chicago young men were not able to stop over in this city and view the beauty of the country surrounding Oakland, but they were compelled to hurry on to their homes in the Windy City.

THE ROBINSON PARTY.

At the residence of Mrs. J. H. Robinson, 568 Eleventh street, a large number of people find all the comforts of a home. They do not wander far from its cosy precincts when the toils of the day are over, finding there the rest and comfort which render life a pleasure. On New Year's night Mrs. Robinson provided an appreciated entertainment for the still greater enjoyment of her friends, and a large number of them took advantage of the occasion to pass the time in congenial company. The residence was garbed in holiday decorations, evergreens, lilac, lillies and other features of the floral kingdom which can make the interior of a home attractive. Refreshments were served and dancing was indulged in by all the young people present.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. William Craib, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Looman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Shellaberger, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Berier, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Court.

Miss Mamie Myers, Miss Daisy Pollard, Miss Etta Pollard, Miss Lorel Craib, Miss Grace Craib, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Julia Hackett, Miss Eunice Gallagher.

Messrs. F. H. Pollard, S. P. Bodwell, E. E. Laymance, C. A. Moore, S. A. Gladson, R. O. Pooman, A. G. Hughes, A. Chapion, J. W. Daw, W. J. Laymance, George W. Humphrey, A. H. Hayes.

VEREIN EINTRACHT.

Last New Year's eve the Verein Eintracht gave their annual ball in Germania Hall, which included their usual Christmas tree exercises. It is the custom of this well known organization to entertain the children as well as the grown people once every year, and the manner in which they carry out the programme reflects a great deal of credit upon the kindly disposition and liberality of the members. The hall was thronged and there was also a large attendance of little ones. But the great Christmas tree which stood immediately beneath the great central chandelier, gorgeous in its holiday decoration, was loaded down with presents. When the time came to make the little ones happy the children were called together, and every one of them received toys and other gifts sufficient in number to make them long remember the occasion. Then dancing was resumed by the adults and continued until an early hour in the morning.

The floor manager was H. Mohr.

The floor committee comprised: Leo Fuchs, William Lange, Charles Thiele, Fred Koster.

The committee on reception consisted of: M. Bishop, Theo Pauler, John Herrmann, Theo Bucher, Charles Gieshell, John Hennings.

The committee on refreshments comprised C. Basee, Henry Gloy, John Wemmer, W. Lebrecht, William Reichold, Henry Dohrmann.

The president of the society is Henry Reichold and the treasurer, Henry Gloy.

A SOUVENIR OF FRIENDSHIP.

Last Thursday night Julius Abrahamson, while the storm was howling without, retired to his private apartment at home to attend to some business matters. He was suddenly summoned to the parlor and, as he reached there, he was surprised to find a number of his personal friends entering the apartment. He could not divine the object of their coming, until D. S. Hirshberg, speaking for the Board of Officers of the First Hebrew Congregation, presented Mr. Abrahamson with a beautiful cane, with a pearl handle, overlaid with silver filigree. The reciepient responded, as well as his surprise would allow. He concluded that the gift and the evidence of good fellowship, which it symbolized were worthy of a convivial closing. He accordingly went to the dining room to order the necessary spread, when to his amazement there stood the table set as if it had been expressly prepared for the occasion. And so indeed it had. Mr. Abrahamson's mother had been taken into the secret, and so, in fact, had been all of the members of the family, except the gentleman himself. Speeches were then made by all the guests and the party broke up at midnight.

Mr. Abrahamson, for years, has been a member of the official board referred to. He is now vice president, and has frequently refused the office of president of the board. He has earned the gratitude and esteem of the members of the organization, and in turn, he will preserve the memento of the same which they have bestowed upon him, with grateful remembrance till the close.

On next Wednesday evening Mr. Abrahamson leaves on a trip to the Old World. On his way to New York he will visit his sister, Mrs. Caro, at Roseburgh, Or., and his nephew, Leon Magnes at Cincinnati. He will leave New York for Bremen, March 1st, and travel through Europe for a number of months, passing a great part of the time in Italy, Switzerland and Germany. Wherever he goes he will never allow the picture of beautiful Oakland to fade from view.

Uncle Sam knows a good thing when he sees it. That is why Dr. Price's Baking Powder is used in army and navy.

BACK TO OAKLAND.

Mrs. Eva Wren, the well known vocalist, will return to Oakland at an early date with the family of her brother, R. A. Marshall, Mr. Marshall having been appointed chief deputy of the Clerk of the Supreme Court in San Francisco. Mrs. Wren met with excellent success in Los Angeles, but consented to return to Oakland in order to continue the musical education of her brother's children. Her former pupils are awaiting her return with impatience.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

Miss Millieflurs and Grace Conner held an informal reception at their home, 710 Fourteenth street, on New Year's from 6 o'clock until 11 o'clock, P. M. The halls and parlors were handsomely decorated with holly berries and smilax. In the other apartments of the house Duchess roses filled many beautiful vases. The dining-room received most attention, the result being a dainty combination of red and green, very pleasing in effect. Many of the hostesses' young school friends called to offer their kindest wishes and greetings for a happy new year.

An orchestra furnished music throughout the evening. The surprise of the guests came at the supper table, when each gentleman received a dainty little "Brownie" as a favor of the reception.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Several of the little friends of Milton H. Glaze met at the residence of his parents, 617 East Twelfth street, on last Saturday evening, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of his birth. The evening was spent in games and music, after which a dainty supper was served. At midnight the little ones retired, wishing Master Milton many happy returns of the occasion.

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PATRIOTIC LADIES.

John A. Logan Circle No. 5, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, held a public installation at Grand Army Hall, last Tuesday evening. The ladies' busy fingers had been at work, and the hall was tastefully decorated with flags, bunting and flowers. The following officers were duly installed by Past Department President Mrs. Drusilla Winchester: President, Mrs. S. E. B. Todd, re-elected; senior vice president, Mrs. Martha Campbell; junior vice president, Mrs. A. M. Rudolph; chaplain, Mrs. N. J. Roth; secretary, Mrs. E. L. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. E. R. Fitzmaurice; conductor, Mrs. M. E. Casey; guard, Mrs. Ida Caelk.

Past President Mrs. S. H. Wilson then presented the newly-elected president with a handsome basket of flowers, in the name of the circle.

The gift was most gracefully received with a few appropriate words.

The secretary, Mrs. E. L. Wilson, who is entering upon her third term as an officer, was also presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

The following programme was then carried out: Piano duet, Mrs. and Miss Violet Howes of San Francisco; song, Ethel Green and Mabel Bailey; recitation, W. H. H. Dussey; song, with guitar accompaniment, Misses Julia and Mamie Mullen; remarks, Major C. W. Woodward; song, Mrs. Howes; remarks, J. K. Petrol and H. H. Todd; song, Miss Violet Howes; remarks and recitation, Past Department President Mrs. Bailey.

The remainder of the evening was spent in social conversation, while the ladies served coffee and cake to their guests.

Lyon Post kindly donated the use of Grand Army Hall to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, for which the latter wish to return thanks.

GOLDEN BEAR MASQUERADE.

The Golden Bear Club gave a masquerade ball last Thursday evening at College Hall. Despite the raging storm there was a fine attendance. The costumes were many and varied. "Aunt Dinah" was there in all her glory and red bandannas, as also the merry school girl, the Indian princess, Spanish senora and senorita, the tramps, the colored citizen in summer costume, the cowboy, the pretty little summer girl, the dudes in the latest style, and even George Washington, who condescended to dance with "Aunt Dinah." There were also gypsies, butchers, the "Two Little Girls in Blue," and "Little Red Riding Hood", but the wolf was not to be seen. The undertaking was a grand success and the Golden Bears went to their homes in a happy frame of mind.

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THE RUED PARTY.

New Year's eve was most pleasantly passed at the residence of Director Rued of the School Board, corner of Adeline and Eighth streets.

There was a merry gathering of young people present at the invitation of Miss Paula Rued, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the host. The guests were all well acquainted with one another and the party assumed the aspect of a large family gathering. Singing, instrumental music and dancing were indulged in and refreshments were served in a very elaborate manner. The house was tastefully decorated, one of the features being a Christmas tree, from which hung a favor intended for each of the guests. The favor was, in some manner, appropriate to the disposition or character of the guest, and many of the young people were happily described by their mementoes.

These features were all the more productive of merriment because they were accompanied by little gems in verse, which were the work of the gentle hostess herself.

The guests were: Miss Julia Bacon, Miss Lelio McKillican, Miss Ethel Pratt, Miss Maud Heine, Miss Lulu Rued, Miss Paula Rued, Miss Caro Carpenter, Miss Amy White, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Lulu Abrego, Miss Flattman, Miss Edith Gaskill.

Messrs. Dwight Hutchinson, C. Allen, John Chase, Harry Chickering, Bert Blanding, C. Heise, W. Bacon, R. Holmes, M. M. Tuft, Joe Rosborough, George Cushing, Anthony Kaeser, Fritz Christ, C. Pickering, Claud Sharon, M. P. Dusinbury.

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VERY LIVELY.

Society Gayly Welcomes in the New Year.

A Host of Pleasant Parties Are Given.

Comments by the Meddler on the Doings of the Week.

There are no complaints from me this week and I'm sure you will be glad. I am usually fretting over some kind of commission, or more frequently of omission. But this week there have been several charming affairs with the prospect of many more. We are to be entertained extensively in the near future and there is a rustle of voluminous silken skirts and the events of huge sleeves, casting shadows before.

Isn't it an old business that those ladies who have executive ability clean up all the left-over things that litter their ministerial tables? Well, this is old business. It is about the word of caution and advice I gave so generously last week to the men of this burg. All this week I have been hearing complaints, but none from girls. We girls all say, "It is quite time. We have quantities of callers but we always go out with papa or mamma. Why? Oh, for the best reason in the world. Nobody else asks us."

Now I want it distinctly understood that the Oakland girls do not object to callers. Quite the contrary, they like to be called on. But they also like to be taken out. It is more fun to go to places under male escort. And Harry, Frank and Fred mustn't be angry because I told the truth. It is not lack of money. Praiseworthy economy is all very well, but our girls do not expect to be taken to the theater in a carriage. We are quite plebeian, (or is it sensible?) in that respect and are accustomed to shopping, calls and theaters without carriages. Our men go to the theater. There is a respectable list I could mention, which is always represented. I'll do a little sum for you, my friends. Instead of patronizing two performances of Salvini in a stag crowd, costing three dollars, go once and take the girl upon whom you call with pleasing frequency and regularity. It is a choice between two performances at three dollars or two seats at one performance, three dollars. Where is the extravagance? But I can see quite readily where a certain other desirable trait comes in. If you select the girl carefully I will guarantee that you won't have any less fun, either. There now, for new business.

The most important thing I have to tell you about is the Requa breakfast, which happened last Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. I can tell you it was the swellest thing Mrs. Requa has given since that memorable affair to the foreign dames of high degree. And this time too it was in honor of a titled guest, Sir Rivers Wilson of England, a guest of the Requas. In the first place, it was one of the most unique table decorations I have ever seen. It does not sound as pretty as it looked, but I can affirm that the effect was simply charming. The room was in holly and red berries, and on the damask cloth gorgeous violets were scattered with a lavish hand. They were long-stemmed, fresh and odorous, and there must have been hundreds of them. Their perfume filled the room and they looked exactly as though embroidered upon the cloth.

We breakfasted for two hours, for the menu was most elaborate, but I never heard brighter conversation flow and ripple about a table. Every one was charmed with the guest of honor, and some Oakland people, as well as a number of San Franciscans, had been invited to meet him.

The *menu*, as I said before, was delightful. There were ten courses, including a number of rare and dainty dishes, and five kinds of wine. I don't remember half the things they had, but at Mrs. Requa's the substantials of the feast are never forgotten, you know. The dessert was charmingly unique and a delicate compliment to the guest of honor. The principal dish was individual plum puddings, each one boiled in a separate bag, and all brought upon the table burning. It was awfully English, and pretty, too, as well as good to the taste.

The guests were: Sir Rivers Wilson, Mr. Grenfell, Mrs. Worden (Mrs Towne's daughter), Mrs. A. N. Towne, Mr and Mrs. Reeves, Mrs Mills, Mr Thompson, Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Ralston and Cadre, Mr and Mrs. Requa, Amy and Mark. Wasn't that a representative company?

The J. C. Rueds of Eighth street gave a New Year eve party to the younger set. It was as happy as only a party on that night could be, and there were games, music and frolic, as well as dancing. Near midnight some good stories were told around a crackling fire and they did good-by to old '94 right merrily. All the younger set were there, especially representatives from our good German families, of whom we have a number.

On New Year's Day there was a wedding at the Harvey's on Filbert street. It was a very pretty wedding at the odd and unusual hour of half past four. At five there was the wedding tea, as I suppose it would probably be called. There were sixty guests at table—twelve around the large circular table, sacred to the bride, and the rest at twelve tete-a-tete tables. The tea was daintily served and arranged and it seemed to me that the bright talk, bright faces and general air of happiness in the dining-room was one of the most charming features of the entire wedding. Miss Callahan catered, and after all the toasts had been drunk and the bride had cut the cake they went gayly away, beginning the [illegible] and the new year all on the same day. It was a holly berry wedding, as so many have been this winter. All the [illegible] was full of the pretty bright crimson [illegible] dining-room was especially cheer[illegible]. There is something delightful about a Christmas wedding. Of course, it [illegible] Christmas and wedding gifts into [illegible] proximity, but it lends a [illegible] cheer in what is far too apt to be a tearful occasion. Miss Smith, the bride, is a relative of Mrs. Harvey, and the groom Mr. Pratt, is a very good looking man with many friends in Oakland. At the bride's table were Misses Smith, Clark, Gamble, Vassult, Mrs. Harvey, Messrs Landers, Harvey, Phelps, Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, beside the bride and groom.

The bridal pair stood under a bower of ferns and Christmas roses in the drawing room during the ceremony, but the dining room with its decorations of smilax and berries seemed prettiest to me.

We will, of course, all be at the Macdonough on Monday and Tuesday next to see *Robin Hood*. I had the pleasure of witnessing it across the bay, and I can assure you it is one of the daintiest prettiest, most enjoyable performances that has ever come to the Coast and I am sure we all ought to be very much obliged to Manager Charles Cook for bringing it to Oakland. Society will honor the event in what we call "en masse" and I anticipate a most delightful time, for everybody will be there.

The Haights have a perfectly ideal New Year dinner on Tuesday. It was purely a family affair but entirely delightful, and I'll tell you about it. It was at the Haight family homestead, and all the Haights, the Hopkins families the Bayleys, John Byers and his brother, and Mr. Hackett were there. It was a pretty dinner at 7 o'clock and quite elaborate, for there are a lot of young people among the connections, and their bright faces illuminated the board. After dinner there was singing.

Miss Mary Williams gives a dinner this Friday evening to a round dozen of guests. It is to be a red dinner, red berries, red shades and red lights, and though an awful [illegible] I am sure nobody will miss it. I'll tell you about it next week.

Those indefatigable entertainers, the Colemans, gave a luncheon on Thursday also. Miss Jessie was the hostess, and from all accounts it was a charming affair. I'm really tired writing that can't paraphrase about the Coleman's affairs, but what can I do [illegible] vocabularies are not unlimited and every thing at the Coleman house is perfect in conception and detail? Unfortunately for everybody Miss Jessie was ill and obliged to stay in her room but the guests were there, the good things were on the table and the luncheon went on. Mrs. Coleman sat down at the table to prevent the odious combination of thirteen. But we girls are not superstitious oh no. Kate Clement was, as usual, the life of the table, and all Miss Coleman's particular friends were there.

The best of it all is that there are several stars in the future sky. I never can endure to think that all the fun is over and gone. From all the indications I predict that February is to be a merrie, merrie month. You watch and judge of my prophetic powers by the outcome. I received cards to Mrs Jesse Wall's reception this week. It is to be dancing as well as conversation, and the date is set for the 15th. Of course Ella and Bessie Wall, Mrs. Glascock and Jessie will assist as hostesses. It is some time since the Walls have given a large affair of this kind, and I'm so glad it is to be in an evening instead of an afternoon tea [illegible] talk and no fun. The house is to be canvassed and Huber's orchestra will play. We are all counting on it and saving our best gowns for the occasion. We haven't forgotten the fun we used to have at the Walls when they lived in the old house. Look for the gayest girl there and you will see me. There is to be a big crowd and none of the invited would miss it, not for a farm, as our New England ancestors used to say.

Mrs [illegible] G. Mills gave a dinner on Thursday evening. It was pretty and well arranged, as all Mrs. Miller's dinners are, and the cosy Jackson street house never looked prettier. It was somewhat in the nature of a farewell I am sorry to say, for Mr. Miller is going away, you know.

Mrs A. A. Moore has sent out cards for [illegible] on the 11th, from [illegible] to [illegible] o'clock. We haven't been up there all in a body for some time. There are over 200 cards, I hear, so prepare for a crush about [illegible] o'clock. Miss Ethel Moore, the eldest daughter [illegible] this winter and will as [illegible] receiving. The Moores also have a very pretty little daughter, Carmen, who goes to Miss Head's school in Berkeley, and will make her debut a winter or so [illegible]. The Moores are charming people and entertain well, but the girls are bookish and care little for society. They are all good talkers and extremely well read, [illegible] they have rather too much in their [illegible] to care very deeply for amusement as a business, instead of as a pastime. Later in the winter the Moores will give a dancing party.

But this week most of the talk, after all, has been "Reliance, Reliance," and our football club has blocked up the whole horizon. They have been very much alive, as always and we're proud of them—our boys. On Friday night they gave a musicale, you know, which was very interesting. There was not as large a crowd [illegible] because only the men were [illegible] the rules. This affair was for members and their lady friends and we breathed in comfort. The music was exceptionally good, especially the singing of the Reliance Glee Club, which is all that is admirable as regards technique and expression. The voices that make it up are good, too. There was no dancing this time, but when the concert was over, we talked in the reading and reception rooms and discussed the approaching game, then shrouded in interesting and delightful mystery.

At the game on New Year's Day I was surprised not to see a larger representation from Oakland. We ought to attend and applaud everything the Reliance Club does. I'm sure they have done enough for us this winter to demand the return favor. Of course there were a good many of our girls at the game. I saw Miss Pringle in bright green, Miss Nina Goodall, Louise Bromwell, Miss Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell, *nee* Miss Bessie Gaskill, Dr. and Mrs Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Ewing and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan. Most of the Oakland girls occupied the upper tier of boxes. One reason, I presume, why more of them were not there was that the Reliance boys were to be hosts at a banquet in the Palace Hotel in the evening. As a result several who are the most devoted and attentive of cavaliers were there alone, as it would be impossible to escort the girls home and then re-cross the bay in time for the banquet.

Of course we were all charmed with the result of the game, though there be those who sympathize so naturally with the under dog and so were sorry that our visitors were beaten so hard. Only a few colors were seen, because the rival banners are so near alike that it is difficult to distinguish them. Bert Oliver was the hero of the day. In the evening the banquet was most successful. It was gay with humor, music and toasts. There were no wines, you know, to the disgust of many. But the omission was in accordance with the express wish of Manager Stagg, who said, very manfully, that as there were three ministers in the team and the majority of the eleven did not approve of it wine would have to be dispensed with if the Chicago were to accept the hospitality. Of course that settled it. Some of the boys rather lost interest in the event after that, but I guess it was about as well for all concerned. The Glee Club sang a number of songs—one of them being the Chicago nine's yell, cleverly set to music. The banquet moved off very "feliciteously," as someone said, and every man seemed to be enjoying himself to the height of his ability. The football men were, of course, the belles if you can call it so, notwithstanding the fact of some slight contusions and wounds, more disfiguring than serious. It was a merry, merry supper, and from all Jack tells me I wish I had been there.

What do you think Mrs. Requa tried to do? It was the loveliest plan, if it had only succeeded, as it certainly would have done if our mothers had co-operated with her properly. It was this way. Mrs. Requa wanted to hire the Tabernacle have it properly draped, decorated and warmed and give a huge party there, to which no less than 100 of the most charming people around the bay should be bidden. The patronesses of the Deux Temps were to be the hostesses, leaving the invitation list with the young people—properly supervised, of course. The Tabernacle was to have been canvassed and the entertainment was to have been a cotillon, with a good supper afterward. The credit for the idea belongs entirely to Mrs. Requa, and the affair would have been the glory of the Deux Temps. But alas for day dreams. The other patronesses, whose daughters and sons dance the german, were horrified at the originality and unconventionality of the idea. "Monstrous," they said. "Impossible, absurd. Fancy the Tabernacle to dance in. How funny." Thus their conventional ideas rose in horror at the idea of something really novel, although Mrs. Requa, who is quite capable of carrying anything through, offered to assume all the responsibility if the others would only assist her. This, they refused to do, so the pretty scheme faded away like a soap bubble, and we are to have small parties and no really big ball. I'm afraid we are provincial here after all, though I try not to think so.

Well, I think that is all for this week. May next week prove as enjoyable. I wish you a very good night and restored from the good cheer of Christmas and New Year, ever the usual cynical MEDDLER.

THE MILLER PARTY.

Last Tuesday night was one of the stormiest that the people of this city have experienced in many a year. But it could not effect the ardor of the young people who had been invited to the party given to the dancing class of Miss Miller, which took place that evening in Masonic Hall.

In many respects, the gathering was an attractive one. Many of the attendants had not, in years, long passed boyhood and girlhood, but they had all attained to that age which enables them to appreciate all the pleasures of youth. The male attendants were cavalierly in their attentions, and the young women received those attentions with a grace as charming as it was easy and unaffected.

The young gentlemen were in evening suits, and the young ladies displayed excellent taste in their costumes. Many of the latter were characterized by extreme simplicity, but were not on that account less becoming and attractive. The general characteristic of the hop was that which distinguished the recent senior class and Caesar class parties, nearly all the participants being in attendance either upon some of the local public schools, academies or the University.

The dance programme was varied by a little dash of the german, two figures being danced, the driving figure and the Christmas tree. In the latter, a huge fir tree was decorated and then brought into the dance hall, the lights of which were lowered. Chinese lanterns were lighted, and the ladies were intrusted with them to search, at times, for their partners. Both figures were carried out in a most successful manner, the latter especially finding favor with the chaperones, of whom there was quite a large number present.

Miss Miller had many willing assistants in the management of the party, but her chief support, and it was valuable, too, came from Joseph J. Rosborough.

The first ten couples in the grand march and the german were as follows: J. J. Rosborough and Miss Etta Havens, Dan Belden and Miss Bessie Palmer, Corie Cregg and Miss Clara Harding, Fred Conklin and Miss Irene Clark, Harry Chickering and Miss Pauline Fore, Paul Selby and Miss Florence Sharon, W. E. Creed and Miss Mamie Kent, Claud Sharon and Miss Bertha Mohrtata, Fred Dickman and Miss Irene Baker, Clarence Crosdam and Miss Jones.

The other guests were: Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Emma Greenwood, Miss Beatrice Vrooman, Miss Helen Nelson, Miss Alma Brown, Miss Annie Harvey, Miss Chrissie Taft, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Grace Gorrill, Miss Sadie Whitney, Miss Mamie Kent, Miss Anita Loesch, Miss Nicholson, Miss Carrie Coit, Miss Marie Otey, Miss Mary Donnelly, Miss Edith Gaskill, Miss Willard, Miss Florence Treadwell, Miss Florence Walker, Miss Mabel Gunn, Miss Myra O'Brien, Miss Anna Pratt, Miss Elsie Holcomb, Miss Miner, Miss Baker, Miss Iona Fore, Misses Lohse, Irene Clarke, Miss Staples, Miss Brown, Miss Clift, Miss Pratt, Miss Grimwald, Miss Edith Kelley, Miss Hattie Kelley.

Messrs. Bert Brown, Harold Harvey, Max Taft, George Sessions, James Kent, Milton Spalding, Paul Selby, William Thorne, Wickford Havens, Anthony Kaeser, George Mattner, Fritz Christ, Molt Grossmeyer, Ralph Parkinson, Homer Craig, Arthur Tashira, Walter Dayton, William Willard, Mr Newell, Mr. Thornton, W. Hardy, Paul Miller, Mr. Spaulding, Charles Chapman, Mr. Miller, Mr. Stone, Mr. Tuft, Beach Dean, Clide Carmen, Mr. Ransome, Russell Whitney, Charles Lowrey, Mr. Hoffman, Ray Guppy, Allen Rudolph, Mr. Deckman, Mr. Brow.

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BALL OF COMPANY F.

The most elaborate party, by means of which good-by was taken of the old year, was that given by Company F, Fifth Regiment of Infantry, National Guards of California, last Monday night. It was the eighteenth gathering of the kind which that company has held, and, in numbers and character, was superior to any of those that preceded it.

It took place in Military Hall, and the spacious apartment was filled with the friends of the organization.

The hall was decorated in a handsome and thorough manner.

The decorations began at the entrance of the stairs leading to the hall, the steps being carpeted, the sides being hung with national colors and the landing illuminated with parti-colored lights.

The reception room was also decorated with flags, and the same kind of ornamentation characterized the main hall. There is not much variety in color, ordinarily, in flag decoration, but, in this instance, so varied were the designs into which the national emblem had been worked, and so harmonious was their adjustment, that wherever the eye turned it found relief and pleasing effect.

It was the most elaborate decorative work of the kind ever done in this city and was universally appreciated. It was a departure from the decoration by means of palms and ferns, which has become so common, and in some respects afforded relief to eyes which have long been familiar with other species of ornamentation.

The dance programme comprised eighteen numbers, and the medley was not reached until the first day of '95 was already old.

Instead of dancing the old year out and the new year in, "taps" was sounded at midnight by Musician Johnson, the soldiers' farewell was given by a firing squad composed of Sergeant Hintermeyer, Sergeant Rennie and Corporals Harvey, Kennedy and Covalt.

The pages of the programme contained beautifully illuminated pictures of camp life.

This party was under the management of the following:

Committee of Arrangements — Lieutenant C. L. E. Wenk, Corporal H. E. Harvey, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Private C. O. Moe, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private J. Stutt, Private J. G. Black.

Floor Director—Major J. F. Hayes. Assistant—Private J. A. Stutt. Aids—Corporal E. W. Snow, Private J. G. Black, Private A. W. Blakely, Corporal J. M. McCrudden, Private C. O. Moe.

Reception Committee—Captain G. H. Wethern, Sergeant A. W. Rennie, Corporal C. C. Covalt, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Sergeant C. A. Pearce, Private J. Magunnis.

Among those present were: Miss A. Vassing, Miss Etta Ebbes, Miss Annie Wethern, Miss Maud Gray, Miss Blanche McCormick, Miss Maud Sinclair, Miss Ella Good, Miss Annie Good, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Alderson, Miss Minnie Howage, Miss Florence McArthur, Miss Augie Sturtevant, Miss Lydia Sturtevant, Miss Lillie Murphy, Miss Blanch Wimble, Miss Mamie Summers, Miss Nolan, Miss Jessie Katherine, Miss Moore, Miss March, Miss Ballinger, Miss Muldren, Miss Daisy Bridges, Miss Sibley, Miss Copp, Miss Lou Burke, Miss Gaylord, Miss Belle Hamilton, Miss Allison, Miss Cunningham, Miss Muldoon, Miss Petterson, Miss Mabel Sangley, Miss Eda Moe, Miss Ida Moe, Miss J. W. Vance, Miss Ella Copp, Miss Eva Copp, Miss Jennie Hildreth, Miss Maud Stutt, Miss Ida Smith, Miss L. Kennon, Miss Rose Colins, Mrs. G. H. Wethern, Mrs. Barnum, Mrs. Ravalk, Miss Bessie Hamilton, Mrs. Skaggs, Mrs. Syble, Mrs. J. G. Black, Mrs. J. Magunnis, Mrs. Joe Schott.

Colonel D. B. Fairbanks, commander of the Fifth, Captain Rattanzi, Lieutenant Bolins, Major J. F. Hayes, Major Dunn, Captain G. H. Wethern, Lieutenant W. H. Cobbledick, Lieutenant L. E. Wenk, Captain R. T. Coulter, Messrs. A. Cook, H. L. Cunningham, G. C. Cunningham, O. Marston, A. Gerhardy, W. Watson, W. A. Young, Y. Dudds, J. Garney, A. Heimer, J. Hempel, H. Devers, P. Burns, E. Laymance, W. F. Howland, G. Hughes, C. Summers, A. W. Whitaker, Joe Bouquet, W. Downie, B. Birdsall, E. Theobald, G. Griffin, W. B. Jones, J. J. Hughes, P. Voorhees, W. F. Pettis, G. Rastall, J. Brenner, E. Murray, J. Anderson, W. Burstow, F. M. Manon, A. Baalin, P. Fettis, D. J. Crimins, P. Mullen, O. Daly, C. Leach, P. Menser, R. L. Duff, M. Stone, J. White, W. Liston, F. Petterson, L. Hunter, G. W. Butner, C. Iburn, F. Edwards, H. Vissing, G. A. Tyrrell, A. W. Blakely, F. G. Thompson, Joe Schott, F. S. Sarratt, J. M. McCrudden, W. F. Johnson, J. G. Black, G. T. Crowin, A. I. Mitchell, C. O. Moe, F. Parsons, H. Parsons, A. S. Phelps, George Reed, J. H. Stutt, H. T. Vissing, E. O. Williams, S. Baxley.

A PLEASANT OUTING.

Several members of the Claremont Tennis Club of Berkeley have been spending a few days at the Spiers ranch near Haywards. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Len Morgan. The members of the party were as follows: Miss Gather, Miss Duff, Miss Stillman, Miss Williams and Messrs. Rickard, Vesder, Stringham, John Bakewell and F. V. Bakewell. Besides these was a number of visitors.

MASON—RATHJEN.

Last Friday night W. C. Mason of this city was united in marriage to Miss Sophie Rathjen at the residence of the bride's parents, 1116 Thirteenth avenue. The home was beautifully decorated and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Seraphine of St. Elizabeth's Church, Bray avenue, Fruit Vale. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Schlueter, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Alex Rosborough, Miss Kittie Judge and Mrs. Kittie Cosby of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason have gone on a wedding tour, the destination of which is unknown.

"The knave of hearts, he stole those tarts." And no wonder if they were made with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

CENTRAL LODGE BALL.

Central Lodge No. 251, Ancient Order of United Workmen, brought the old year to a close and ushered in the new one in a manner which will always be considered of a most successful character in the history of the organization. The festivity was held in Montana Hall on Seventh street, near Adeline, and attracted a large number of the friends and members of the order.

The first part of the evening was devoted to literary and musical exercises, as follows:

Piano solo ... Miss N. E. Flahavan
Song ... Clifton F. Melvin
Accompanist, Miss N. Flahavan.
Address ... G. P. M. J. Adams
Song ... Miss Alice O'Connell
Accompanist, Miss M. O'Connell.
Address ... G. D. D. S. Hirshberg
Song ... Ira Brady
Local orators ... D. D. James Patterson
Specialties ... M. Cronin
Club swinging ... Charles Flamberg

Then followed a choice programme of dancing of about a dozen numbers.

The Committee of Arrangements had spared no pains to make the affair a success and were well rewarded for its efforts. The members of it were as follows: W. J. O'Connell, William Flahaven, J. E. Parkinson, A. G. Foster, S. M. Horgan, C. Gilman.

The other officers were as follows: Floor Manager—William H. Flanagan. Assistants—S. M. Horgan, A. J. Foster, J. C. Parkinson.

THE OLD YEAR OUT.

Miss Mae Lawrence entertained a number of young friends from this city on New Year's eve at her home on McPherson street, Alameda. The evening was spent in a pleasant manner, vocal and instrumental music and dancing being indulged in.

Those present were: Miss May Nelson, Miss Minnie Higgins, Miss Hannah Levy, Miss Gertrude Chester, Miss Annie Cummings, Miss Gertrude Ashe, Miss Kate Cummings, Miss Ella Cannon, Miss Hannah Qualey, Miss Julia Hickey, Miss Annie Nelson, Miss Laura Smith, Miss Maggie Hammond, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Julia Hammond, Miss Isabelle Hopkins, Miss Sadie Burns, Miss Florence Shultis, Miss Augusta Shuman, Miss Evalena Lawrence, Miss Annie Winters, Miss May Daly, Miss Ella O'Brien, Miss Aggie O'Brien, Mrs. Joseph Lawrence.

Messrs. Joe McPherson, Harry Monahan, Elmo Harvey, Paul Stahl, Henry Smith, Frank Silvaria, Joe Lewis, Harry Smith, Bennie Silvaria, Fred Robinson, A. P. Shefvater, J. Cribbens, F. Meranda, M. Meranda, A. Fisher, H. Foley, T. Dunleavy, J. J. Knight, George Walzen, P. Shortall, W. Toner, C. Blint, E. Shultis.

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A SILVER JUBILEE.

On Christmas last Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crocker celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The event was one of a great deal of pleasure to their friends. In honor of the occasion the bride and groom of a quarter of a century ago were tendered a reception by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of 58 Simpson avenue. Four generations were represented in the gathering and all the guests entered into the spirit of the occasion, and passed the evening in a most pleasant manner. Among those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schellhaas and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tate and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Sick and daughter, Mrs. Catherine Schellhaas, Matt Schellhaas, the Misses Katie and Lizzie Humbrig and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Crocker.

An additional feature of interest was the receipt of a number of congratulatory telegrams from certain points in Wisconsin and Illinois, which impressed on Mr. and Mrs. Crocker in a most effective manner the esteem in which they are held by their distant friends.

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KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE.

A string orchestra has recently been formed in East Oakland which calls itself the "Knights of the Round Table." They took the name because they play about a round table.

The orchestra of strings meets on Monday evenings at the home of Mrs. Gilbert D. Curtiss and there are ten members, five of whom play guitars and five who play mandolins. At present the club is led by one of the members but in a month it is to be led by the Sherwood sisters.

They have been practicing now for six months, have mastered fifteen numbers and will soon be ready to give a parlor musicale. At the close of each meeting's practice there is solo work by the guitars.

All the members are well known in East Oakland. Among them are Miss Josephine Nesbitt, Miss May McCabe, Miss Dewing, Miss Hazel Curtiss and Mrs. Curtiss.

"CHICAGOS" THEN DINED.

The members of the Reliance Athletic Club invited the young athletes of the Chicago University to a disastrous defeat on New Year's Day, and afterwards extended to them most generous hospitality in the shape of a grand dinner in the Maple Room of the Palace Hotel. There were present all the members of the Reliance football team, comprising Messrs. Sherman, McMillan, B. and M. Oliver, Sheva Smith, Pringle, Sherrard, Wyckoff, Clemens, Walton, Frick, besides the following invited guests: J. M. Fitzgerald, P. M. Remillard, A. Rosborough, George P. Morrow, Dr. H. B. Pelton, Judge A. L. Frick, Colonel Edwards, John Cadman, Will Ryder, and the Glee Club, which consists of the following members: R. Coldwell, H. W. Laker, C. W. Crist, D. M. Cornell, A. D. Gaskill, H. W. Thomas, Dr. H. Carlton and M. J. Jellett.

There were also present the members of the Chicago eleven, who made a presentable appearance notwithstanding the struggle in which they had taken part during the afternoon.

R. M. Fitzgerald acted as toastmaster. The usual sentiments were proposed and responded to in a very entertaining manner. The dinner, aside from the elaborate character of the *menu*, was remarkable for the good feeling which prevailed and the exalted opinion which the visitors carried away of Californian hospitality. It was regretted that the Chicago young men were not able to stop over in this city and view the beauty of the country surrounding Oakland, but they were compelled to hurry on to their homes in the Windy City.

THE ROBINSON PARTY.

At the residence of Mrs. J. H. Robinson, 563 Eleventh street, a large number of people find all the comforts of a home. They do not wander far from its cosy precincts when the toils of the day are over, finding there the rest and comfort which render life a pleasure. On New Year's night Mrs. Robinson provided an appreciated entertainment for the still greater enjoyment of her friends and a large number of them took advantage of the occasion to pass the time in congenial company. The residence was garbed in holiday decorations, evergreens, lilac, lilies and other features of the floral kingdom which can make the interior of a home attractive. Refreshments were served and dancing was indulged in by all the young people present.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. William Craib, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Looman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Shellaberger, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Beller, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laymance, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Court.

Miss Mamie Myers, Miss Daisy Pollard, Miss Etta Pollard, Miss Lorel Craib, Miss Grace Craib, Miss Eva Frame, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Julia Hackett, Miss Eunice Gallagher.

Messrs. F. H. Pollard, S. P. Bodwell, E. E. Laymance, C. A. Moore, S. A. Gladson, R. O. Pooman, A. G. Hughes, A. Chaplon, J. W. Daw, W. J. Laymance, George W. Humphrey, A. H. Hayes.

VEREIN EINTRACHT.

Last New Year's eve the Verein Eintracht gave their annual ball in Germania Hall, which included their usual Christmas tree exercises. It is the custom of this well known organization to entertain the children as well as the grown people once every year, and the manner in which they carry out the programme reflects a great deal of credit upon the kindly disposition and liberality of the members. The hall was thronged and there was also a large attendance of little ones. But the great Christmas tree which stood immediately beneath the great central chandelier, gorgeous in its holiday decoration, was loaded down with presents. When the time came to make the little ones happy the children were called together, and every one of them received toys and other gifts sufficient in number to make them long remember the occasion. Then dancing was resumed by the adults and continued until an early hour in the morning.

The floor manager was H. Mohr.

The floor committee comprised: Leo Fuch, William Lange, Charles Thiele, Fred Koster.

The committee on reception consisted of M. Bishop, Theo Pauler, John Herrmann, Theo Bucher, Charles Gesbell, John Hennings.

The committee on refreshments comprised C. Basse, Henry Gloy, John Wemmer, W. Lobrecht, William Reichold, Henry Dohrmann.

The president of the society is Henry Reichold and the treasurer, Henry Gloy.

A SOUVENIR OF FRIENDSHIP.

Last Thursday night Julius Abrahamson, while the storm was howling without, retired to his private apartment at home to attend to some business matters. He was suddenly summoned to the parlor and, as he reached there, he was surprised to find a number of his personal friends entering the apartment. He could not divine the object of their coming, until D. S. Hirshberg, speaking for the Board of Officers of the First Hebrew Congregation, presented Mr. Abrahamson with a beautiful cane, with a pearl handle, overlaid with silver filigree. The recipient responded, as well as his surprise would allow. He concluded that the gift and the evidence of good fellowship which it symbolized were worthy of a convivial closing. He accordingly went to the dining room to order the necessary spread, when to his amazement there stood the table set as if it had been expressly prepared for the occasion. And so indeed it had. Mr. Abrahamson's mother had been taken into the secret, and so, in fact, had been all of the members of the family, except the gentleman himself. Speeches were then made by all the guests and the party broke up at midnight.

Mr. Abrahamson, for years, has been a member of the official board referred to. He is now vice president, and has frequently refused the office of president of the board. He has earned the gratitude and esteem of the members of the organization, and in turn, he will preserve the memento of the same which they have bestowed upon him, with grateful remembrance till the close.

On next Wednesday evening Mr. Abrahamson leaves on a trip to the Old World. On his way to New York he will visit his sister, Mrs. Caro, at Roseburg, Or., and his nephew, Leon Magnes at Cincinnati. He will leave New York for Bremen, March 1st, and travel through Europe for a number of months, passing a great part of the time in Italy, Switzerland and Germany. Wherever he goes he will never allow the picture of beautiful Oakland to fade from view.

Uncle Sam knows a good thing when he sees it. That is why Dr. Price's Baking Powder is used in army and navy.

BACK TO OAKLAND.

Mrs. Eva Wren, the well known vocalist, will return to Oakland at an early date with the family of her brother, R. A. Marshall, Mr. Marshall having been appointed chief deputy of the Clerk of the Supreme Court in San Francisco. Mrs. Wren met with excellent success in Los Angeles, but consented to return to Oakland in order to continue the musical education of her brother's children. Her former pupils are awaiting her return with impatience.

A PLEASANT RECEPTION.

Miss Millieflure and Grace Conner held an informal reception at their home, 710 Fourteenth street, on New Year's from 6 o'clock until 11 o'clock, P. M. The halls and parlors were handsomely decorated with holly berries and smilax. In the other apartments of the house Duchess roses filled many beautiful vases. The dining-room received most attention, the result being a dainty combination of red and green, very pleasing in effect. Many of the hostesses' young school friends called to offer their kindest wishes and greetings for a happy new year.

An orchestra furnished music throughout the evening. The surprise of the guests came at the supper table, when each gentleman received a dainty little "Brownie" as a favor of the reception.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Several of the little friends of Milton H. Glave met at the residence of his parents, 617 East Twelfth street, on last Saturday evening, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of his birth. The evening was spent in games and music, after which a dainty supper was served. At midnight the little ones retired, wishing Master Milton many happy returns of the occasion.

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PATRIOTIC LADIES.

John A. Logan Circle No. 5, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, held a public installation at Grand Army Hall, last Tuesday evening. The ladies' busy fingers had been at work, and the hall was tastefully decorated with flags, bunting and flowers. The following officers were duly installed by Past Department President Mrs. Drusilla Winchester: President, Mrs. S. E. J. Todd, re-elected; senior vice president Mrs. Martha Campbell, junior vice president, Mrs. A. M. Rudolph, chaplain, Mrs. N. J. Roth, secretary, Mrs. L. J. Wilson, treasurer, Mrs. E. R. Fitzmaurice, conductor, Mrs. M. E. Casey; guard, Mrs. Ida Cash.

Past President Mrs. S. H. Wilson then presented the newly elected president with a handsome basket of flowers, in the name of the circle.

The gift was most gracefully received with a few appropriate words.

The secretary, Mrs. L. J. Wilson, who is entering upon her third term as an officer, was also presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

The following programme was then carried out: Piano duet, Mrs. and Miss Violet Howes of San Francisco, song, Ethel Green and Mabel Bailey, recitation, W. H. H. Hussey, song, with guitar accompaniment, Misses Iulia and Mamie Mullen, remarks, Major E. W. Woodward; song, Mrs. Howes; remarks, J. K. Peirsol and H. H. Todd; song, Miss Violet Howes, remarks and recitation, Past Department President Mrs. Bailey.

The remainder of the evening was spent in social conversation, while the ladies served coffee and cake to their guests.

Lyon Post kindly donated the use of Grand Army Hall to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, for which the latter wish to return thanks.

GOLDEN BEAR MASQUERADE.

The Golden Bear Club gave a masquerade ball last Thursday evening at College Hall. Despite the raging storm there was a fine attendance. The costumes were many and varied. "Aunt Dinah" was there in all her glory and red bandannas, as also the merry school girl, the Indian princess, Spanish senora and senorita, the tramps, the colored citizen in summer costume the cowboy, the pretty little summer girl, the dudes in the latest style, and even George Washington, who condescended to dance with "Aunt Dinah." There were also gypsies, butchers, the "Two Little Girls in Blue," and "Little Red Riding Hood", but the wolf was not to be seen. The undertaking was a grand success and the Golden Bears went to their homes in a happy frame of mind.

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THE RUED PARTY.

New Year's eve was most pleasantly passed at the residence of Director Rued of the School Board, corner of Adeline and Eighth streets.

There was a merry gathering of young people present at the invitation of Miss Paula Rued, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of the host. The guests were all well acquainted with one another and the party assumed the aspect of a large family gathering. Singing, instrumental music and dancing were indulged in and refreshments were served in a very elaborate manner. The house was tastefully decorated, one of the features being a Christmas tree, from which hung a favor intended for each of the guests. The favor was, in some manner, appropriate to the disposition or character of the guest, and many of the young people were happily described by their mementoes.

These features were all the more productive of merriment because they were accompanied by little gems in verse, which were the work of the gentle hostess herself.

The guests were: Miss Julia Bacon, Miss Lelio McKillican, Miss Ethel Pratt, Miss Maud Heine, Miss Lulu Rued, Miss Paula Rued, Miss Caro Carpenter, Miss Amy White, Miss Enid Yale, Miss Nettie Yale, Miss Lulu Abrego, Miss Hattman, Miss Edith Gaskill.

Messrs. Dwight Hutchinson, C. Allen, John Chase, Harry Chickering, Bert Blanding, C. Heise, W. Bacon, R. Holmes, M. M. Tuft, Joe Rosborough, George Cushing, Anthony Kaeser, Fritz Christ, C. Pickering, Claud Sharon, M. P. Dusinbury.

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